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SAY IT IS USELESS

NO ATTEMPT TO GET REHEARING IN RASCO CASE.

PUTS IT UP TO GOVERNOR

Supreme Court Decision Covers Every Point Raised and Rasco's Only Hope is in Hadley.

"Attorneys for Rasco will file no motion for a rehearing in the case, but will ask Governor Hadley to commute his sentence to life imprisonment," stated Attorney Ellis Cook Friday morning. Mr. Cook said that the opinion of the supreme court was so clear cut and that every objection raised by the defense covered that it was useless to file such a motion.

The matter of commuting the sentence will be taken up with Governor Hadley within the next few days, and some of the attorneys for Rasco will visit the governor and will plead that the circumstantial evidence that convicted Rasco does not justify the extreme penalty of death. No petition will be circulated asking for commutation, as it would be useless so the attorneys stated.

Harry Rasco, a half-brother of Hez Rasco, was in Maryville Thursday and was in conference with Attorney Cook.

Sheriff Tilson said Friday that no arrangements have been made to bring Rasco back to Maryville or to carry out the execution.

ANDREW MOSBY DEAD.

Wealthy Farmer Near Hopkins Died of Pneumonia After Illness of Two Days.

Andrew Mosby, a wealthy farmer who lived one mile south of Hopkins, died Friday morning at 9:30 o'clock of a severe case of pneumonia, as he was sick but two days.

Mr. Mosby had been in excellent health all winter, and his sudden death is a severe shock to the community.

The funeral services will be held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the M. E. church at Hopkins, conducted by the pastor, Rev. Taylor. Burial in Hopkins cemetery.

One year ago the first of March Mr. Mosby and his son, Osmond Mosby, purchased a fine farm just south of town, formerly owned by Simeon Butts, and moved there from Butler, Mo., to make their home. During the short time he lived there he made numerous friends and he was highly respected by all who knew him for his thrift, integrity and honesty.

Andrew Mosby was born in Norway on the 7th day of November, 1844. He was married to Bertha Qvarsteen in Norway on the 29th day of May, 1865. In 1870 they came to America, and after living some time in Iowa they moved to Butler, Mo., where they lived until they came to Hopkins.

Besides his wife, Mrs. Mosby leaves one son, Osmond Mosby, who, with his wife and one son, live at the home place.

Mr. Mosby was a true and faithful member of the M. E. church.

To Move to Maryville.

M. C. Thompson and family of near Burlington Junction will move to Maryville on March 1, where he has bought a five-acre tract of land. He has rented land near the place and will devote his efforts to raising seed corn. Mr. Thompson and son have established a reputation for raising fine seed corn and have won the bulk of prizes at corn shows given in this county last fall and winter. They both won prizes at the state corn show and they find a ready sale for all the corn they raise.

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PRAISED MARYVILLE.

R. T. Forbes of St. Joseph Told of Maryville's Good Points.

The following is from the St. Joseph Gazette:

Maryville's good points were dwelt upon at the Commerce club luncheon Wednesday by President R. T. Forbes, who returned Wednesday morning from the Nodaway county seat, where he spoke at the Commercial club banquet. Maryville's civic pride, its enterprise, its industries and its educational institutions, and, above all, its hospitality, were praised by President Forbes, who grew enthusiastic in telling of the good time shown the out-of-town guests at the banquet.

Purchased a Farm.

Preston Seafers has bought an 80-acre farm of Frank VanVelson, near Orrsburg.

WAS READY TO LEAVE

R. M. HARRINGTON, CHARGED WITH ILLEGAL SALE OF LIQUOR.

NEAR GRAND JURY TIME

And Harrington Thought He Had Better Get Out, But Prosecuting Attorney Kept His Eye On Him.

R. M. Harrington, who has been the proprietor of a drug store in Graham for the past several months, was arrested Thursday on a charge of violating the local option laws. Prosecuting Attorney George Pat Wright filed two informations against Harrington, and his case will come up at this term of court.

Harrington had given a bill of sale to his drug store at Graham Thursday to another party and was evidently getting ready to leave the county, as he heard the grand jury was going to meet at this term of court and he did not want to be here about that time. He left Graham Monday, but returned on Thursday and had his affairs in such shape then to leave.

But while Harrington was fixing up his affairs, Prosecuting Attorney Wright kept an eye on him, and on Thursday when he returned to Graham Mr. Wright had him arrested. The arrest was made by Henry Smith and Mr. Roach, and they brought Harrington to Burlington Junction Thursday evening, but at that place Harrington walked away from the officers. It is said that Harrington had given too many drinks to these men, and by the time they arrived at the Junction they were feeling too good to keep an eye on their prisoner.

Harrington walked from the Junction to Elmo, where he spent Thursday night in a livery stable. Sheriff Tilson was informed of a strange man being in Elmo, and when a description was given to him by George Walton, cashier of the Elmo bank, he knew at once that it was Harrington, and instructed Constable John Anderson of that township to arrest him and bring him to Maryville. So Harrington arrived in Maryville Friday at noon and was taken to the county jail.

Prosecuting Attorney Wright is making a special effort to get these men that are violating the local option laws. They generally sell whisky under the guise of a drug store, and when they think it is about time for a grand jury to convene they hike out. But Mr. Wright outgeneraled Mr. Harrington in this matter, as Harrington was on his way to Iowa to get out of the state so the grand jury could not touch him.

Whether a grand jury will be called at this term of court is not known, but the general impression is that there will be one.

Mr. Clifford Wilfley of Ouray, Col., who is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George L. Wilfley, went to Kansas City Friday morning for a few days' stay.

Mrs. O. W. Clark returned to her home in St. Joseph Thursday from a week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Moore of West Third street.

Mrs. O. H. Sayler and little daughter of Hopkins were in Maryville Thursday evening the guests of Judge and Mrs. J. H. Sayler.

John Mutz of the Bee Hive shoe firm was a visitor in Kansas City Thursday.

Mrs. Jane Leech was a business visitor in Pickering Thursday.

LAST DAY LECTURES

FARMERS' SHORT COURSE CAME TO AN END FRIDAY.

HECKER TO SPEAK AT 6:30

Hour is Fixed Early So It May Not Interfere With the Banquet Tonight.

The last day of the farmers' week in the short course at the Normal was opened by Prof. Cameron of the Normal, who introduced the first speaker of the morning, Prof. C. B. Hutchinson. Mr. Hutchinson's lecture dealt with the growing of oats in Missouri, and took up in a very interesting manner the environments necessary to the production of a large yield. He emphasized, as in his lecture on corn, the preparation of the seed bed, and the necessity of using good seed. "The oats crop," said Mr. Hutchinson, "although not as paying a crop as some others, is a very necessary adjunct to the corn crop, and is invaluable to the feeder, and also very useful in the system of rotation of crops."

He was followed at 10 o'clock by Mr. Trowbridge, who talked very thoroughly on the subject of feeding horses. He told the amount a horse should consume, and how the rations should be increased with the increase of work required of the animal. Mr. Trowbridge says that the horse requires and enjoys a variety of foods, and a balanced diet, fully as much as a human being.

Mr. Hutchinson then spoke regarding the experiment field here, and the co-operation between the university and the farmers. The purpose of the field then is to further the best interests of advanced farming, and to give in the best way possible these results to the farmer. The experiment field is a valuable adjunct to the farmers of this vicinity, and all who can should take advantage of it.

The Night Lecture.

By means of his lantern slides Prof. C. H. Eckles, the university dairy expert, made plain several points to consider in picking out a good milk cow. The instructor's slides were of different cattle belonging to the Missouri state agricultural college, and they included five different breeds.

"What I want to emphasize to you farmers," said the dairyman, "is to select some particular breed of cattle and devote your energies to the raising of good cattle in that breed. You can't expect all the heifers you raise to be good milkers. There are bound to be some inferior stock in every herd. Get rid of those cattle that are not a paying proposition, as we do at the university farm."

Prof. Eckles dwelt on the absolute necessity of a clean, sanitary, dairy barn and dry, well drained barn lots in order that the milk from the cows may be clean and wholesome. Several excellent plans of model dairy barns were thrown upon the screen.

At the close of Prof. Eckles' lecture Prof. Hutchinson announced the plan of closing the short course Friday evening with a banquet, which is to be served at the First Christian church. Mr. Hutchinson told the audience that the banquet which closes the farmers' week at the university, which is an annual affair, has become one of the most important features of the entire week, and he expressed a desire that the banquet Friday night would be made a success.

This afternoon Mr. Truman conducted a demonstration in judging dairy cattle at Gray's pavilion.

Prof. A. L. Hecker, the ensilage expert, will deliver his lecture at 6:30 o'clock Friday evening in the auditorium of the First Christian church. The original plan was for Prof. Heckler to give his talk at the banquet, but there are a number of the patrons of the course who do not wish to attend the feed, but who do want to hear the lecture.

The banquet will commence at 7:30 and will be served in the basement of the church. Over 100 tickets have been sold to the banquet.

To See Aged Mother.

S. W. Scott, living northwest of Maryville, left Friday noon for Cambridge, O., where he was called Thursday by the illness of his aged mother, who will be 98 years old in March, if she should live so long.

Here From Montana.

Mr. Wayland Wood and his little daughter of Knowlton, Mont., arrived in Maryville Thursday night and are the guests of Mr. Wood's parents-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Baker.

A 24-VOICE CHORUS

ONE OF THE SPECIAL FEATURES OF ELKS' VAUDEVILLE SHOW.

AND 15-PIECE ORCHESTRA

"The Music Lesson," a Dramatic Sketch, Wooden Shoe Dance and Song Specialties.

The Elks' vaudeville show to be given at the Empire theater next Tuesday evening promises to be one of the best home talent shows ever presented here. Full rehearsals are being given this week.

There are several acts, but the special feature of the show will be "The Music Lesson," a dramatic sketch presented by Misses Bess Scott and Donna Sisson and Mesrs. Glenn Goff and Ed Gray.

A chorus of twenty-four voices of boys and girls, introducing many popular songs and dances, will be one of the acts.

Some of the other numbers of the vaudeville will be:

Adle and Butherus in a wooden shoe dance act.

Prof. Lawler and company in an instrumental musical act.

Miss Bess Scott and Frank Schumacher in a song specialty.

Cartoons.

A special feature film has been secured especially for this occasion and will be shown.

Prof. Lawler and his orchestra is to furnish the music for the show. There are fifteen pieces in the orchestra.

News of Society and Womens' Clubs

Thursday Evening Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Herndon entertained with a dinner Thursday evening. Their guests included Mrs. Herndon's parents Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kennedy of Parnell, and her sister, Mrs. H. A. Suter and daughter of St. Joseph, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Wright and daughter, and Adolph Herndon.

Box Supper a Success.

The box supper at the Swallow school house last Friday night proved to be successful. An entertaining school play, "A Day at Happy Hollow School," was given by the teacher and pupils, with the aid of Miss Chloe Busby, and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Howard. The receipts from the boxes were $37.42. Miss Mona Hoshor is the teacher.

Celebrated Wedding Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Howard, nine miles southeast of Maryville, celebrated their wedding anniversary on February 14. An excellent supper was served by the hostess. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Bert Evans, Mr. and Mrs. Elihu Busby and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Busby, Mrs. Jim Johnson, Mrs. Charles Blagg, Goldie Dean, Mary Busby, Lester Reaksecker, Edith and Bertha Johnson, Edna Busby, Helen Blagg, Alex Johnson.

Valentine Social.

The young people of Palestine Christian church gave a social at the beautiful country home of Henry Anderson Wednesday evening, February 14. The rooms and dining tables were beautifully decorated in honor of St. Valentine. The different booths were an attractive feature and were well patronized. A large crowd was in attendance, who spent an enjoyable time. A net sum was realized, which will be used to pay for a musical instrument for the church.

Party at the Elks'.

A very enjoyable affair was the card and domino party given at the Elks club Thursday evening for the members and their lady friends. Six-hand euchre was played and prizes were won by Miss McClurg and Berney Harris, while at dominoes prizes were won by Mrs. W. R. Tilson and John Aley. A vote of those present was taken as to their preference for president of the United States and Mayor Arthur S. Robey headed the list with 33 votes. Refreshments were served, after which dancing took place, Prof. Lawler furnishing the music on the piano.

Entertained Thursday Evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Myers had a sociable affair for a few of their young friends at their home south of the city, on Thursday evening. Those

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HERE FOR GAME.

Benton High Team Arrived for Game With Normal Team.

Coach Walter Hansen and seven basket ball warriors of the St. Joseph Benton high school arrived in Maryville today at noon for their game with the Normal five tonight at the Normal gymnasium. The entire squad is in excellent condition, and it's a certainty that they will put up a grand game.

Mr. Hansen gave out the following as his probable line-up:

Beatty (captain) and Sack, forwards; Raphael, center; Otten and Goldberg, guards; Garber and Emerson, substitutes.

The game will commence at 8:15 and will be preceded by a preliminary game between the training school five and some team of the local high school.

HE LEADS THE BAND

HUSTLING PASTOR OF HARMONY WHO DOES THINGS.

CORN CONTEST IN CHURCH

Prizes Amounting to $45 for Acre Yields—Oyster Supper Netted Ladies About $25.

The Harmony M. P. church neighborhood, east of the city, had a big time Wednesday evening, but then, they always do. The boys in that community that belong to the band gave a concert at the church, and it was much appreciated by the people. While the band has only been organized three months, they are turning to be good players under the leadership of Rev. C. R. Greene.

After the concert a corn contest was held in the church and was participated in by seventeen boys of that Sunday school between the ages of 10 and 17. Prizes amounting to $45 were offered for the largest acre yield of corn. Cecil McKee won first, his average being 82 bushels and 14 pounds. He received a prize of $25. The second one of $15 went to Everett Porter, who raised 80 bushels of corn on an acre. The third one of $5 went to Floriam Porter, who raised 76 bushels. All of the contestants in this contest submitted their certified reports the same as they did in the county contest held last fall in Maryville, and the same rules governed the contest.

The committee in charge of the affair was: Elmer Newcomer, president; Fred Curfman, secretary; Neal Craig, treasurer, and J. H. Alexander and G. J. Harbison.

The money for the prizes were donated by the members of that congregation, and Rev. Greene, the pastor, gave $25 of it.

After the contest the ladies of the church served oysters and cleared about $25. The occasion was an enjoyable one.

Married Sixty-Two Years.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Wright, who live near Bedison, are improving from a long spell of ill health. They are among the best and most widely known pioneer residents of Nodaway county. If they live until the 17th of the coming March they will celebrate the sixty-second anniversary of their marriage.

To Return Saturday.

Rev. C. J. Miller will return to Maryville Saturday from Des Moines, where he and Mrs. Miller have been visiting this week. Mrs. Miller will go from Des Moines to northern Iowa, where she will visit her parents for several days.

Made Speech on Socialism.

John Rehm of Springfield, O., was in Maryville Wednesday and made a speech on one of our street corners for the principles of socialism. He was the guest of his cousin, Conrad Schweitzer, while in the city.

Returned From Wyoming.

Joseph Crossan, who has been living in Wyoming for several years, returned to Maryville Thursday night, and will farm the place of his father, I. G. Crossan, southeast of Maryville, the coming year.

Left for Nebraska.

Circuit Judge and Mrs. G. H. M Grimes of North Platte, Neb., were in Maryville a short time Thursday evening on their way home from a short visit at Bedford, Ia., with Mrs. Grimes' mother, Mrs. W. F. Evans.

DOCKET NOT LARGE

REGULAR TERM OF CIRCUIT COURT CONVENES MONDAY.

ELEVEN DIVORCE CASES

Glover Suit May Be Settled Out of Court—Forty-Two Equity Cases and Ten Criminal Cases.

The regular February term of Nodaway county circuit court will convene Monday with Judge W. C. Ellison on the bench. The docket for this term is not a large one, there being about the usual number of cases to be tried.

The parole docket will be taken up Monday, and there are some forty cases. On Tuesday the equity docket will come up, and there are forty-two cases on the docket that will come up.

Friday, February 23, is divorce day. There are only eleven divorce cases filed. There are also five applications for citizenship which will be considered by the court on Saturday.

The most important case to be tried at this term of court is the $20,000 damage suit of James Glover vs. David T. Garrett for the alienation of the affections of Glover's wife. There are rumors that the case will not be tried but will be settled out of court. The case is set for trial on Thursday, February 29.

The criminal docket will be taken up on Wednesday, March 4. There are only ten of these cases and they are: State vs. James Gaulding, burglary and larceny; Wood Gaulding, charged with burglary; James Gaulding, carrying concealed weapons; Ned Holmes and Harold Ewing, grand larceny; John Merrill, wife abandonment; Jesse Gage and George Schneider, affray in public streets; Sam Phillips, appeal from justice of peace court by defendant; Irvin Schroyer, carnal knowledge of female under age of 18 years; Frank Gallagher, carrying concealed weapons.

It is not known whether the court will call a grand jury or not at this term, but many are of the opinion that there will be one.

UNIFORMS ARE HERE.

The Missouri Ladies' Military Band Will Appear in Uniforms at the Empire Tonight.

The Missouri Ladies' Military band will appear in their new uniforms at their first concert at the Empire theater Friday night. The uniforms arrived Friday morning at the Alderman store, and they are certainly nobby looking. Go to the concert tonight and you will be convinced of their right to their military name, as much by their fine appearance as by the good music they will give.

Quite a number of out-of-town people arrived in the city today to attend the concert tonight. Nearly all the seats were taken on the first floor Friday morning, and the gallery seats are being rapidly taken.

Revival Services.

A fine audience greeted Evangelist Calfee at the revival services at the First Methodist Episcopal church last night. The singing of the choir was the best yet, and the work of the Normal Quartet was unusually fine, and Mrs. Whitchurch rendered a beautiful solo.

Evangelist Calfee chose for his text Heb. 2:3, and for three-quarters of an hour he held the closest attention of the audience while he portrayed the results of a sinful life.

The meeting for girls and young men was well attended in the afternoon and resulted in one conversion.

Arrangements are made for a good meeting for the boys and young men on Saturday evening at 7:30.

Come out this evening at 3 o'clock and 7:30, as these will be the last public services this week.

Mrs. Fred Wooldridge and her little daughter of Hopkins were Maryville visitors Thursday, and were guests of Mrs. H. E. Torrance and her granddaughter, Miss Mary Wooldridge.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Severs of Elmo were in Maryville Friday on their way to Bedford to visit Mrs. Severs' mother and sisters.

THE WEATHER

Unsettled weather and probably occasional rain tonight or Saturday; not much change in temperature.

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CONGRATULATIONS TO MISSOURI.

W. J. Bryan, in this week's Commoner, had the following about the settlement of the contest in this state between Joseph W. Folk and Champ Clark:

"Missouri Democrats are to be congratulated upon the settlement of the contest between Messrs. Folk and Clark. That contest promised to have demoralizing effect not only upon the party in the state but upon the national party. Missouri is to be congratulated that the differences have been settled, and every Democrat who had a part in bringing about that settlement is entitled to thanks."

This Prayer Should Be Answered.

A subscriber, who professes herself a "lover of horses and dogs," requests The Democrat-Forum to reproduce at this time the classic, "Prayer of the Horse." It is worthy of the consideration of all at all times and is here given in full:

To thee, my master, I offer my prayer; feed me and care for me, and when the day's work is done, please provide me with shelter, a clean, dry bed, and a stall wide enough for me to lie down in comfort.

Pet me sometimes, that I may serve you the more gladly and learn to love you. Do not jerk the reins and do not whip me when going up hill.

Never strike, beat or kick me when I do not understand what you want, but give me a chance to understand you. Watch me, and if I fail to do your bidding, see if something is not wrong with my harness or feet.

Do not check me so I cannot have the free use of my head. If you insist that I wear blinders so that I cannot see behind me, as it was intended I should, I pray you be careful that blinders stand well out from my eyes.

Do not overload me or hitch me where water will drop on me. Keep me well shod. Examine my teeth when I do not eat; I may have an ulcerated tooth and that, you know, is very painful. Do not tie my head in an unnatural position or take away my best defense against flies and mosquitoes by cutting off my tail. I cannot tell you when I am thirsty, so give me clean, cool water often. Save me by every means in your power from that fatal disease, glanders. I cannot tell you in words when I am sick, so watch me that by signs you may know my condition. Give me all possible shelter from the hot sun and put a blanket on me when I am cold; not when I am working, but when I am standing in the cold. Never put a frosty bit in my mouth! first warm it by holding it a moment in your hands. I try to carry you and your burdens faithfully without a murmur, and wait patiently for you long hours of the day or night.

Without the power to choose my shoes or path, I sometimes fall on hard pavements, which I often prayed might be of wood or some such nature as to give me a safe and sure footing. Remember I must be ready at any moment to lose my life in your service. And finally, oh my master, when my useful strength is gone, do not turn me out to starve or freeze, or sell me to some cruel owner to be slowly tortured to death; but do thou, my master, take my life in the kindest way, and your God will reward you here and hereafter. You will not consider me irreverent when I ask this in the name of Him who was born in a stable. Amen.

Vouched For.

Here's a conversation we actually overheard:

"Hello, Jim! How are you?"

"Fine."

"How's our old friend James?"

"Doing nicely. He's gone in for a course in health culture."

"That so? Well, he can stand it—he always did have a magnificent constitution.'—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Mrs. K. C. Riley of Bedison was in Maryville Wednesday and Thursday and visited Mrs. J. Higgins.

NEWS OF SOCIETY AND WOMEN'S CLUBS

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present were Mr. and Mrs. Peter Meyers and sons, Misses Hazel Master, Helen Master, Agatha Henggeler of Clyde, Lucy Sturm, Jennie Sturm, Anna Dougan, Ella O'Grady, Margaret Dunahue, Lirry Strawn, Mildred Palmer, Beulah Renshaw, Will Dempsey, Mill Dunahue, Ray Master, Will Alkire, Henry Strawn, Frank Gallagher, Earl Dempsey, Ernest Thull, Alfred Sturm, Harman Seiple, Richard Bicket, Earl Sturm. Frank Rennels and Joseph Switzer gave several musical numbers.

For Nebraska Visitor.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Young of East Third street entertained with a domino party Thursday evening, in compliment to Mr. Clay Wright of St. Ann, Neb. The partly included Mr. and Mrs. Albert Appleby and daughter, Alvena; Miss Bessie Curnutt, Misses Daisy, Donna and Ruth Young, Messrs. Raleigh Moss, Dale Steward, Isaac Young, Orville Appleby and Guy Young.

Valentine Party.

One of the most enjoyable events of the season occurred Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Yeager, when they entertained the Dew Drop Inn club with an oyster supper and valentine party. First there was a mail box, Mr. Harry Farrar being postmaster. Every one received valentines. Then in a contest of "untangling the tangle," Mr. Harry Farrar and little Miss Mildred Jones received the prize. In a contest of "spearing the heart," Mrs. Harry Farrar received the prize for spearing nearest the center of the heart, and Mr. Claud Moore received the consolation prize for being the farthest away from it. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Claud Moore and son, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Jones and children, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Orme and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Farrar and daughter, Mrs. Elmer Baker and daughter, and the hostand hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Yeager, and daughter. Recitations were given by Mildred and Wendell Jones, Andrew Farrar and Geneva Yeager. Then after listening to some fine instrumental music by the hostess the club adjourned to meet in two weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Yeager.

Pickering Mothers' Club.

Owing to the serious illness of Mrs. J. R. Heryford's mother, the Pickering Mothers' club met Thursday at the home of Mrs. E. L. Crowson. There was a full attendance of the membership and several visitors were present. The subject, "The Child's Relation to the Home," proved the most interesting the club has yet discussed. Rev. F. M. Lindenmeyer led the devotional service and Mrs. Stewart Robinson acted as leader of the meeting, and presented an excellent program. A fine paper on the subject was given by Mrs. O. G. Null, and an excellent talk by Rev. Lindenmeyer on "What Vital Part of Home Life Does the Child Occupy?" Mrs. C. A. Wolfers answered the question, "How May the Rights of Children Be Protected in a Home Where There is an Invalid or an Aged Person?" Mrs. Will Hinton, "How May the Art of Homemaking Be Taught to Our Girls?" Mrs. Lola Hood, "What is the Boy's Part in Home Life?" Mrs. E. L. Crowson, "How Can the Beauty of Service Be Taught to Children?" A general discussion followed on "When Should the Parents Sacrifice Their Pleasure for the Pleasure of Their Children?" Mrs. John McGuire then gave a reading. The next meeting of the club will be held March 2, Mrs. C. G. McMillen, hostess.

St. Valentine's Party.

A crowd of merry neighbors gathered at the home of Mr. John Brunson, nine miles south of town, on the evening of St. Valentine's day. It being Mr. Brunson's birthday, it was given as a surprise to him, and also as a farewell party to him and his family before they leave for their new home, two miles north of town. A supper of oysters, ice cream and cake was served by the ladies present. Those who took part in the merry gathering were: Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ike, Mr. and Mrs. Art Ramey and children, Mr. and Mrs. Elder Baker and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Heflin, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Key, Mr. and Mrs. James Blagg, Mr. and Mrs. DeWitt Bolin, Mrs. Ed Bolin and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Hoshor and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cox, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Davidson and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Collins, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lyle and son, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Long, Mr. and Mrs. Dude Pittsenberger, Warren Phelps, Irma, Gladys and Homer Long, Mr. Dunn, Everett Moore, June Blagg, Howard Morrison, Clyde, Douglas and Charles Hoshor, Bert and Gertie Ike, Emma and Ella Ballenger, Ruby and Alva Heflin, Robert and Alma Hillsbeck, Ed and Will Pittsenberger, Mona, Chloe and Emma Hoshor, Velma, Elsie and Edith Pittsenberger, Nannie Keenan, Prof. M. McCann, Nellie Pittsenberger, Alma Outs, Mabel Moore, Charles Crandall.

Eversole Employees' Party.

The Eversole store employees gave a domino party in the store Thursday night from 8 to 11 o'clock, which was one of the most enjoyable social events of the kind that has been given in our city. Assisting in entertaining were Miss Charlotte Murrin, Miss Bertha Anderson and Miss Hazel Garrett, who served punch, sandwiches and coffee to the company on arrival, and at the close of the evening refreshments of ice cream and cake were served. The tally cards were handsomely hand painted, and on one side contained a picture of the son and grandson of the Eversole firm, Ralph Wilson Eversole. Handsomely embossed souvenir folders were given to each guest. On the title page was printed "Eversole's Store Employees' Party. February 15, 1912." On the outer page was a picture of Master Ralph Wilson Eversole, as "Our Mascot." The inner pages contained a list of the present and former clerks of the store who are: Miss Irene Swinford, Miss Marguerite O'Donnell, Miss Stella McDowell, Miss Esther Eversole, Miss Nellie Alkire, Miss Effie Collins, Miss Hazel Lake, Miss Elizabeth Heffern, Miss Lora Livasy, Mrs. Alice Lake, Mrs. Margaret Dougan, Mrs. Frankie Hollowell, Mrs. George Anderson, Mr. Otto Frazee. The list of former clerks included Miss Neva Templeton, Miss Helen Dougan, Miss Audrey McMillen, Miss Chloe Smith, Miss Marie Jones, Miss Emma Lavelle, Mrs. Grace Ritchie Mutz, Mrs. Mamie Mahoney Dougan, Mrs. Nell Mahoney Ray, Mrs. Lillie Protzman Walker, Mrs. Emma Rickman Trueblood, Mrs. Ruby Ritchie Green, Mrs. Grace Stamper Masters, Mrs. Alice Ingerson Harper, Mrs. Irene Parrish Ingerson, Mrs. Pauline Straugh Masters, Mrs. Dora Brady Walz, Mrs. Anna Denmark Denning, Mrs. Will Wyant, Mrs. W. L. Schoonover, Mr. Ferdinand M. Townsend, Mr. Lon Lyle, Mr. Lewis White, Mr. Ray Kinney, Mr. Ernice Templeton.

"I'm Pretty Little, But I'll Try."

She was only 7 years old Eileen Martin, the section foreman's daughter, as she stood reaching up to a telephone at the little town of Alta, Cal., last Saturday, telling the agent at the nearest station that a rail was broken. Childlike, she knew the semaphore signals, had come to the track to see the Overland Limited whirl by, and had watched the long finger drop, letting the train into the block.

"I'm pretty little, but I'll try," she said, when the station agent asked her if she could not stop the train that was past him, and started out with her sister of 14, who had just appeared. They ran down the track, stopped the train, and saved a wreck.

Pretty much every primary school in the city ought within the next week, to hear of Eileen's "I'm pretty little, but I'll try." The alert attention which knew the semaphore signal, the quick wit which understood what a broken rail meant, the decision and initiative which alone sought the telephone, the courage with which she and her sister started up the track, waving their aprons to stop the big Overland Limited as it bore down upon them—these are the qualities which through life bring self-help, help for others, success and happiness.

And she was only 7 years old, "pretty little," but ready to "try."—Philadelphia Press.

Meeting of County Anti-Saloon Alliance.

The County Anti-Saloon League is called by its president, F. H. Badger, to meet in the M. E. church, South, in Maryville, Tuesday, February 20, at 1 p. m. A full attendance of all the members is desired. The membership includes all the pastors and one layman from each church in the county.

C. H. JOHN, Secretary.

New Baby in St. Joseph.

Mr. and Mrs. John J. Walsh of St. Joseph announce the birth of a daughter, Mary Louise, Sunday morning, February 11. Mrs. Walsh is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nic Sturm of this city.

Captain and Mrs. I. M. Woods went to Hopkins Friday to visit the family of their son, Charles Woods. Mrs. Woods has been sick for three weeks, and her son came to Maryville Friday morning and took his parents home with him for a visit until his mother's recovery.

Miss Irene Dodds of Bolckow arrived in Maryville Friday on a visit with her cousin, Miss Carrie Hopkins, and Miss Nelle Hudson.

Miss Nelle Swearengen of Bedison is in Maryville for a week's visit with Miss Ada Clayton.

PILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS.

Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days. 50c

Today's Markets

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—2,000. Market steady. Estimate tomorrow, 200.

Hogs—30,000. Market weak; top, $6.30. Estimate tomorrow, 17,000.

Sheep—6,000. Market 10c higher.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—500. Market steady.

Hogs—4,500. Market weak; top, $6.25.

Sheep—1,000. Market 10c higher.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—500. Market steady.

Hogs—5,000. Market weak; top, $6.25.

Sheep—400.

St. Louis Live Stock Market.

Cattle receipts, 3,000. Values unchanged in all branches. Nothing very toppy on sale. Rather look for a fair market next week.

Hog receipts, 15,000. Market 5c higher; top, $6.40; bulk, $6.10 to $6.30.

Sheep receipts, 4,000. The general market was steady; western and native lambs at $6.40; Colorado lambs sold 10c higher; top, $6.75. No change for ewes—$4.25.

National Live Stock Commission Co.

Have a New Daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Norris of this city announce the birth of a daughter to them Thursday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Goforth of Bolckow arrived Friday for a visit with Mr. Goforth's brother, W. E. Goforth, and family.

Miss Mary Bell returned to her home in Liberty Friday, after a few weeks' visit with her cousin, Mrs. J. D. Richey.

Mrs. Roy Wolfers of Pickering was in Maryville Friday, returning home from a visit with relatives at Omaha.

Miss Georgia Evans returned Friday from a day's visit at Pickering with Miss Hattie Patterson.

Miss Lena Steren and Miss Josie Hagan of Clyde were shopping in Maryville Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bosley and little daughter of near Clyde were in Maryville Thursday.

Mrs. Frank Pemberton of Blanchard, Ia., was a Maryville business visitor Thursday.

Miss Golda Ulmer spent Thursday afternoon in Hopkins with her parents.

Mrs. Mary Hildebrand of Guilford was in Maryville on business Thursday.

Results Always the Same.

There was a prosecuting attorney in the south who was so uniformally successful wih his cases that he not only became the terror of evil-doers, but an object of admiration to every one, and especially to the negroes of the city in which he lived.

When he left public office he was at once sought out by those charged with crime. Much to his chagrin, the first two cases that he defended resulted in the conviction of his clients.

An old negro who had watched his prosecutions in admiring wonder, and looked on with equal wonder now that he conducted the defence, accosted him just after his second defeat.

"Mars Earle," he said in awed tones, "you sho is a wonder! No matter which side you's on, they goes to the pen jes' the same."

Work Tells Nationality.

Mrs. Henry White, wife of the well-known American diplomat, who served in almost every court in Europe, is the authority for the statement that the nationality of a woman may be easily betrayed by the kind of fancy work in which she engages as she sits on hotel verandas in famous resorts of Europe. The American has her frame with gay colored silk, and stitches away on flowers, fruits or quaint figures for the decoration of her dining table, her boudoir or her own comely person. The British woman never seems happy unless she is fashioning Battenberg lace sewed on indigo blue paper, where the pattern is traced. The French woman works into fine white cambric those lovely clusters of vine and flowers in the best cotton floss, known as "French embroidery." The Italian woman delights in the fine lace that has made the nation illustrious, and many a woman bearing a title that dates back several hundred years can make lace which rivals the best which the looms of Venice can produce.

Not at All Entertained.

"Prisoner, are you guilty or not guilty?"

"I can't answer that question," replied the man accused of fluffy finance. "There were so many counts in the indictment and its literary style was so involved that I couldn't stay awake."

Whole Rye Food
YOU know how wholesome good German rye bread is. The sturdiest, healthiest people in the world eat it. Rye is the complete food—the kind that will do you the most good and leave the best taste in your mouth. Contains the vital elements that common oatmeal and corn flakes lack.
Cream of Rye
"EAT IT FOR HEALTH"
is soft tender flakes made from the whole rye berry with all the nourishment left in. A food to be cooked, therefore, free from the dangerous dust and germs which science denounces in ready prepared flakes, etc. Not only nourishing, but flushes the system of waste and tones up the digestive organs. The ideal breakfast food, but just as good in bread, puddings, muffins and fritters. Everybody likes it. Get it from your grocer.
Free Spoon Right in the Package
Look for the beautiful rye pattern silver plated teaspoon packed with Cream of Rye. This handsome spoon would itself cost you more than price of package. Exchangeable for other pieces of silverware if desired.
MINNEAPOLIS CEREAL CO., Inc., Minneapolis, Minn.
Cream of Rye
FREE HANDSOME SPOON RIGHT IN THE PACKAGE

Alderman Dry Goods Co.

The White Sale Ends Tomorrow Night

Only one more day to select from our complete stocks of

THE NEW EMBROIDERIES
THE NEW LACES
THE NEW WHITE WEAR
THE NEW WHITE GOODS

at reduced prices

A REAL AUCTIONEER

If it's the Money You Want, Then Get J. O. Bolin to Cry Your Sale

Bolin gets the price; gets the crowd; is a natural auctioneer; guarantees satisfaction. Phone him at Arkoe, Mo., his expense.

The Country Editor.

"The country editor has to make much of the news he writes. The commercial club, the church, the base ball team, the law and order league, the college, the county central committee, the whist club, and the good roads movement, all must feel the influence of his guilding hand.

"He must be in everything and run errands for everyone, send out circulars, to the town lying for harmony sake, and hold the sack. He must be guide, philosopher, and friend to those in trouble, and be mentor and admonisher to those who are about to get into trouble.

"The preacher, the town drunkard, the statesman, the social climber, the real estate boomer, the man from the grand lodge who is about to exemplify the new work, the promoter, the broken soldier kindly bade to stay, the captain of industry, and the girl with the fatherless baby all come to him to help them in their troubles.

"He is the town confessor, the town boomer, and the town goat, doormat rock of refuge, errand boy and the vicarious sacrifice.

"The editor is the only creature in all the wide animal kingdom that needs the wings of a dove, the strength of a lion, the protective odor of a skunk, the smooth crawling belly of the worm of the dust, and the aspiration of a god."—Watt Mason.

A marriage license was issued Thursday evening to Frank Gwinn of Clyde and Miss Gladys Thompson of Barnard.

DE LAVAL CREAM SEPARATOR

A Money Maker and Saver

The Cow's Best Friend

If you are still skimming milk by the old-fashioned "setting" system you are losing about one pound of cream in every four and you are not giving your cows a square deal.

With a De Laval cream separator you would get 20 to 35% more, and much better, cream, and besides would have warm sweet milk to feed to your calves and pigs.

We know that the De Laval will give you better service and last twice as long as any other separator and will be a money-maker for you.

Ask any of your neighbors who use a De Laval what kind of service their machines have given them. If a De Laval will save cream and make money for your neighbors it will do as much for you. Why not give it a trial?

Easiest to turn, easiest to wash, skims the cleanest lasts the longest

SOONER OR LATER YOU WILL BUY A DE LAVAL

Campbell-Clark Hdw. Co.

MARYVILLE

YOUR GRAY HAIRS QUICKLY VANISH

A Harmless Remedy, Made from Garden Sage, Restores Color to Gray Hair.

A feeling of sadness accompanies the discovery of the first gray hairs which unfortunately are looked upon as heralds of advancing age. Gray hair, however handsome it may be, makes a person look old. We all know the advantages of being young. Aside from the good impression a youthful appearance makes on others, simply knowing that you are "looking fit" gives one courage to undertake and accomplish things. So why suffer the handicap of looking old on account of gray hairs, when a simple remedy will give your hair youthful color and beauty in a few days' time?

Most people know that common garden sage acts as a color restorer and scalp tonic as well. Our grandmothers used a "Sage Tea" for keeping their hair dark, soft and luxuriant. In Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy we have an ideal preparation of Sage, combined with Sulphur and other valuable remedies for dandruff, itching scalp and thin, weak hair that is split at the ends or constantly coming out. A few applications of this valuable remedy will bring back the color, and in a short time it will remove every trace of dandruff and greatly improve the growth and appearance of the hair.

Get a fifty cent bottle from your druggist today, and notice the difference in your hair after a few days' treatment. All druggists sell it, under guarantee that the money will be refunded if the remedy is not exactly as represented.

Special Agent, Koch Pharmacy.

CATARRH MISERIES FOREVER ENDED

A Simple, Safe Remedy Brings Instant Relief, even in the Worst Cases.

The most effective and harmless way to cure catarrh or a cold in the head is to apply a little Ely's Cream Balm. This pleasant, harmless, antiseptic, cleansing, Balm quickly heals the sore membranes and restores the sense of taste and smell. It will surely relieve even the worst case of catarrh.

Get a 50 cent bottle from your druggist, use it according to directions, and cold in the head, catarrh, catarrhal headache, head noises and sneezing will all go. More than this, the Balm will strengthen the sensitive membranes, so that you can resist and throw off colds.

Quick relief from catarrhal misery awaits you at any drug store. A 50 cent bottle of Ely's Cream Balm is generally more than sufficient for even a chronic case of catarrh or hay fever. It is perfectly harmless.

Special Agent, Koch Pharmacy.

QUEEN INCUBATORS

Best on the market for the money.

Campbell & Clark

FARM LOANS
$50,000.00

To loan on Nodaway county improved farms. Large loans preferred. See me for rates.

JAMES B. ROBINSON
At Nodaway Valley Bank.

AMERICAN FENCE
Campbell & Clark

FEBRUARY 16, 1912.

50--Good for 50 Votes--50

Cut out this coupon and present at our store and we will give you credit for 50 votes.

Good for 50 Votes

(This coupon is printed in both the Democrat-Forum and Tribune daily papers).

Not good after Thursday, February

22

Raines Brothers
JEWELERS & OPTICIANS
109 West Third St.

A GREAT DISCOVERY.

Certain Ingredients That Really Promote Hair Growth When Properly Combined.

Resorcin is one of the most effective germ destroyers ever discovered by science, and in connection with Beta Napthol, which is both germicidal and antiseptic, a combination is formed which destroys the germs which rob the hair of its natural nourishment, and also creates a clean, healthy condition of the scalp, which prevents the development of new germs.

Pilocarpin, although not a coloring matter or dye, is a well-known ingredient for restoring the hair to its natural color, when the loss of hair has been caused by a disease of the scalp.

These ingredients in proper combination, with alcohol added as a stimulant and for its well-defined nourishing properties, perfect perhaps the most effective remedy that is known for scalp and hair troubles.

We have a remedy which is chiefly composed of these ingredients, in combination with other extremely invaluable medicinal agents. We guarantee it to positively cure dandruff and to grow hair, even though the scalp in spots is bare of hair. If there is any vitality left in the roots, it will positively cure baldness, or we will refund your money. If the scalp has a glazed, shiny appearance, it's an indication that baldness is permanent, but in other instances we believe baldness is curable.

We want every one troubled with scalp disease or loss of hair to try Rexall "93" Hair Tonic. If it does not cure dandruff and grow hair to the satisfaction of the user, we will without question or quibble return every cent paid us for it. We print this guarantee on every bottle. It has effected a positive cure in 93% of cases where put to a practical test.

Rexall "93" Hair Tonic is entirely unlike, and we think, in every particular, better than anything else we know of for the purpose for which it is prescribed. We urge you to try this preparation at our entire risk. Certainly we know of no better guarantee to give you. Remember, you can obtain Rexall Remedies only at our store—The Rexall Store. The Orear-Henry Drug Co., 113 North Main Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Douglas of Bedison came to Maryville Thursday to visit until the week end with Mr. Douglas's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Douglas of West First street.

ANSWERS THE CALL.

Maryville People Have Found That This is True.

A cold, a strain, a sudden wrench,
A little cause may hurt the kidneys.
Spells of backache often follow,
Or some irregularity of the urine.
A splendid remedy for such attacks,
A medicine that has cured thousands
Is Doan's Kidney Pills.
Thousands of people rely upon it.
Here is one case:

Rev. I. R. M. Beeson, Savannah, Mo., says: "I still have great faith in Doan's Kidney Pills and gladly confirm all I said in my endorsement of this remedy that was given two years ago. I have taken Doan's Kidney Pills and have found them very effective in toning up the system and removing trouble, caused by the kidneys. I can strongly recommend this preparation to all kidney sufferers."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

A marriage license was issued in St. Joseph Thursday to Thurman Carmichael of Maryville and Miss Alma Hiles of Braddyville, Ia.

DANDRUFF GOES.

Quickest Dandruff Cure World Has Ever Known.

If you want to get rid of dandruff in the shortest possible time get a bottle of Parisian Sage today and use it.

Besides banishing dandruff and making your scalp immaculately clean, Parisian Sage is guaranteed to stop falling hair and itching scalp and impart life and beauty to the hair.

One of Rochester's most prominent barbers writes:

Gentlemen: "I am a barber of fifteen years' experience, have used many things for hair but never found anything equal to Parisian Sage for removing dandruff. It is also a splendid hair dressing and quickly stops itching scalp. I have used it for the last three years."—T. D. Smith, Chamber of Commerce Building, Rochester, N. Y., June 27, 1911.

Parisian Sage is sold by the Koch Pharmacy and druggists everywhere for 50 cents.

For Sale.

Thirty head of extra good full-blood Oxford ewes.

F. P. ROBINSON,
2-tf Maryville, Mo.

For Sale

At a bargain, good sawmill, Russell make; has double saw; in first class shape. If you want a snap write me at once. A. P. BOLIN, Arkoe, Mo.

TWO FOUND DEAD ON KANSAS FARM

Man 54, and Stepdaughter of 14, Lying in Slough.

GIRL WAS MISSED FROM SCHOOL

Clara Stickney Had Been Shot and the Stepfather, J. J. Rickels, Struck on Head—Shotgun Found Under His Body.

Topeka, Feb. 16.—John J. Rickels, a farmer 54 years old, and his stepdaughter, Clara Belle Stickney, 14 years old, were found murdered in a slough on the Rickels farm, eight miles north of here. The girl had been shot in the back of the head with a shotgun, and the man's head had been crushed by a heavy instrument or club.

Mysterious Circumstances.

The case so far is a mystery. The coroner left here after a hasty examination indicated that the girl had been killed first and the man later. As the man was lying on his face in a pool of blood with the shotgun under him, the officers are led to believe that he may have shot the girl and than somebody, a witness of the crime, killed him by a terrific blow on the head. There was a long scar on his head just above the forehead and the top part of his skull was crushed. The bodies were lying within a few feet of each other.

Mother's Suspicion Aroused.

The suspicions of Mrs. Rickels, wife of the murdered man and own mother of the girl, were aroused when Herbert, a half-brother of the girl, 7 years old, returned home from school and said his sister had not been at school all day. The father also had been missing. A searching party was organized and the bodies were found late in the afternoon. Both the man and the girl evidently had been dead many hours. It is known that the girl did not like her stepfather, and the officers incline to the theory that he met her while she was on her way to school, waylaid her and drove her into the field and slough at the point of a gun; that somebody saw them and followed, and that the shot which killed the girl was fired only a few seconds before the blow which killed the man was struck.

Mrs. Rickels expressed the belief that her husband had killed the girl and then caused his own death. The county authorities, while inclined to Mrs. Rickels' theory of the girl's death, do not believe Rickels killed himself. The nature of the wound is such, they say, that it could not have been self-inflicted. While Mrs. Rickels insists that her husband murdered the girl, she says she knows no motive for such an act. She would not admit that there was any ill-feeling between her husband and her daughter.

The bodies were brought to Topeka and are being held for an inquest, which probably will be held Saturday, Coroner Bomgartner said.

CHINESE SHIPS CELEBRATING

Establishment of United Republic Marked by Salutes From Vessels in Harbors.

Shanghai, Feb. 16.—Extensive celebrations were held both at Nankin and Shanghai in honor of the United Republic. The Chinese ships at Shanghai were bedecked with flags, while the warships and arsenal fired salutes from 21 guns.

Chefoo, Feb. 16.—Three Chinese cruisers lying in the harbor celebrated the establishment of the republic by a salute of 21 guns. The United States cruiser Cincinnati has returned here from Teng Chow Fu with six missionaries aboard. The other missionaries refused to leave on the Cincinnati which supplied them with arms and ammunition.

American in French Jail.

Nice, Feb. 16.—Frank H. Partridge of New York, a member of the Union League club, is a prisoner in the Nice jail on account of cashing at the Hotel Majestic checks to the amount of $3,000, which were returned unpaid. He is on the verge of nervous collapse as a result of his experience. The American colony of Nice is condemning the hasty action of the hotel people in throwing him into prison on what seems an error.

Folk's Name Withdrawn.

Lincoln, Neb., Feb. 16.—The petition filed last Monday asking that the name of Joseph W. Folk of Missouri be placed on the Democratic preferential preliminary ballot has been withdrawn at the request of the Missouri ex-governor.

Put Kerosene in Stove.

Wichita, Feb. 16.—Thomas Serro of Rich Hill, Mo., died in the baggage car of a Missouri Pacific train just before reaching Wichita, from burns received when he attempted to build a fire by pouring kerosene into a stove at his home.

Four Killed in a Wreck.

Altoona, Pa., Feb. 16.—Four passengers were killed and 25 others injured when the Pennsylvania Limited Express from Chicago to New York was wrecked at Warrior's Ridge, Pa.

COURT-MARTIAL FOR AINSWORTH

Adjutant General Relieved From Duty Pending Trial.

CRITICISED CHIEF OF STAFF

Secretary Stimson Accuses him of Habitual Readiness to Impugn Motives of Others—Serious Friction Has Long Existed.

Washington, Feb. 16.—Maj. Gen. Fred C. Ainsworth, adjutant of the army has been relieved from duty at the war department and will be ordered before a court-martial.

Serious friction long has existed between the adjutant general's office and the general staff and the crisis came when Secretary Stimson sided with Gen. Wood, chief of staff.

Attacked Secretary.

Matters were brought to an issue by a report made by Gen. Ainsworth to the secretary of war in connection with the matter of pay rolls and Secretary Stimson felt that the adjutant general had used language that impugned his own integrity and fairness, as well as that of other officers of the department.

It also is charged that Gen. Ainsworth insinuated improper motives on the part of the chief of staff in relieving certain recruiting officers.

Secretary Stimson in a note to Gen. Ainsworth said that rudeness and ill temper had become habitual on the part of the latter. He also declared the Ainsworth report to be the culmination of a series of outbreaks evidencing "such readiness to impugn the motives or the intelligence of those with whom it is your duty to work as, if uncorrected, to destroy your usefulness in your present office."

Referred to President.

Regarding the attack on himself, Secretary Stimson said that he referred the matter to the president, who directed Gen. Ainsworth's release pending disciplinary measures.

Gen. Leonard Wood, chief of staff has had many clashes with Gen. Ainsworth.

Col. H. P. McCain has succeeded Gen. Ainsworth.

Although a rupture between the general staff and the adjutant general's office has been regarded for some time as inevitable in view of the extremely bitter personal relations that have existed, particularly since the sensational reorganization scheme reported from the house committee on military affairs in connection with the pending army appropriation bill, the action of the secretary of war and the president proved a decided sensation.

First Time in History.

Never before in the history of the army has the adjutant general been court-martialed. In fact, it is rare to find an instance where any officer of corresponding rank has been brought before a court.

Because of his exalted rank it will be difficult to assemble a court for the trial of Gen. Ainsworth, who, next to Gen. Leonard Wood, is the senior officer of the army.

INTER-STATE ROAD CONVENTION

Old Trails Association Met at Boonville and Planned for National Organization.

Boonville, Mo., Feb. 16.—The executive committee and officers of the Old Trails Road association met here to report progress of road building from Boonville to Kansas City, following the Boone's Lick trail to Boonville, and thence along the Santa Fe trail. Every county through which the old trails ran was represented. It was decided to hold a convention of delegates from the various states at Kansas City April 17 to form a national organization to perfect a trans-continental highway. The delegates will be selected by the governors and by good road organizations.

HATLESS WOMEN HELP REVIVAL

Church at Fulton, Mo., Printed Display Advertisement That Brought Prompt Response.

Fulton, Mo., Feb. 16.—"Look, men; come to the Baptist church tonight. The women are wearing silk scarfs and shawls, not hats."

That announcement appeared in Fulton papers in advertisement of a revival. Many men responded by attending the service. The Rev. J. A. Taylor, pastor, said the rule would prevail during the revival and probably longer.

Third Truskett Trial.

Independence, Kan., Feb. 16.—The third trial of A. A. Truskett, the oil promoter of Caney, Kan., who shot J. D. S. Neeley, the wealthy oil promoter of Lima, O., is now set for March 11. At the first trial Truskett was found guilty. He obtained another trial at which the jury recently disagreed.

Chancy B. Little Announces.

Olathe, Kan., Feb. 16.—Chancy B. Little has announced his intention of running for the Democratic nomination for attorney general in Kansas. Mr. Little has been county attorney of Johnson county four years.

Elks' Vaudeville

Empire Theatre February 20

A New Departure in Home Talent

24 A Mixed Chorus of Twenty-four Voices in Popular Songs **24**

Novelty Dancing --- Instrumental Quartet--Catchy Songs--Cartoons

A Dramatic Sketch
The Music Lesson

15 Prof. Lawler's Orchestra of Fifteen Pieces **15**

Seat Sale Monday morning at 9 o'clock at Reuillard's

Prices 25c, 35c and 50c

Tickets not called for by 7 o'clock Tuesday will be returned to box office for re-sale.

Missouri Ladies' Military Band

ALMA M. NASH, Director

Empire Theatre, Friday, Feb. 16

300 Good Seats Left

Tickets 35 cents. All seats reserved at Reuillard's must be called for before 6 o'clock Friday

PUBLIC SALE

I will sell at my farm, 12 miles northeast of Maryville, 1 mile west and ½ mile south of Orrsburg, 5 miles east and 1½ miles south of Pickering, on

Wednesday, Feb. 21, 1912

At 10 o'clock a. m., the following property: MULES—23 head of young mules, 2 and 3 years old.

HORSES—1 coming 3-year-old horse, 1 coming 4-year-old horse, good ones, 4 young mares 4 and 5 years.

CATTLE—26 head of coming 2-year-old steers; 19 head steer and heifer calves.

TERMS—6 or 9 months time on bankable note at 8 per cent. Lunch on ground.

J. H. ALEXANDER

Chas. Evans, Auctioneer.

WANTED HORSES

Any size, from 4 to 20 years old, if fat. I am buying horses of dealers and also on the market to fill my eastern orders, and I will give more for a horse at my barn door than any place else. Show me your horses. EAST SIDE BARN EVERY SATURDAY.

JIM ANDY FORD

YOU can bank by mail, if you wish, just as easy and safely as you can in person.

Even a dollar will open an account. Write us today for full particulars.

NODAWAY VALLEY BANK

MARYVILLE, MISSOURI

CAPITAL $100,000.00
SURPLUS $22,000.00

Closing Out Sale

Having sold my farms I will sell at public sale at my farm 2½ miles west and ½ mile north of Pickering; 1 mile west and 7 miles north of Maryville,

Wednesday, Feb. 21, 1912

at 10 o'clock a. m., the following:

19 HEAD OF HORSES—1 mare 12 years old, weight 1650 lbs., in foal; 1 mare 6 years old, weight 1400 lbs., in foal; 1 mare 8 years old, weight 1300 lbs., in foal; 1 mare 13 years old, weight 1300 lbs., in foal; 1 driving bred mare 2 years old, in foal; 1 driving bred mare 5 years old, weight 1000 lbs.; 1 gelding 7 years old, weight 1200 lbs.; 2 yearling mares; 1 smooth mouth mare, in foal; 1 5-year old mare, weight 1200 lbs.; 5 geldings 3 and 4 years, from 1000 to 1200 lbs.; 1 7-year old gelding, weight 1300 lbs.; 2 mule colts.

CATTLE—5 pure bred Shorthorn cows and heifers.

HOGS—150 head of hogs. 20 head of 2 year old bred sows; 30 head of bred gilts; 100 head of stock hogs Nearly all of these hogs are full blooded Duroc Jerseys.

FARMING IMPLEMENTS—3 wagons, 1 mower, 1 hay rake, 1 Superior wheat drill, 1 disc, 1 riding cultivator, 1 walking cultivator, 1 harrow, 1 16-inch walking plow, 1,000 burr oak fence posts, some hay, corn and oats, about 100 shocks of fodder.

TERMS—Bankable note 6, 9 or 12 months, 8 per cent interest.

Lunch on grounds.

J. D. FRANK

Col. R. P. Hosmer, Auctioneer. S. H. Kemp, Clerk.

PUBLIC SALE

I will sell at public auction, one mile south of Burlington Junction, on

Tuesday, February 20,

Beginning at 10 o'clock, the following property: 6 HEAD OF HORSES—Extra good pair of black horses 4 and 5 years old, weight 3,100; bay mare 8 years old, weight 1,500; bay horse 3 years old, weight 1,200; bay horse 4 years old, weight 1,450; gray mare 11 years old, in foal, weight 1,250; trotting bred mare coming 3 years old. These horses are all in condition and fat enough for the market.

CATTLE AND HOGS—1 good milch cow, 5 shoats.

IMPLEMENTS AND HARNESS—Standard mower, Dain sweep rake, steel hay rake, 2 discs, John Deere corn planter, good as new; good cultivator, 3-section harrow, Staver surrey, low wagon, new manure spreader No. 3, hay rack, feed bunks, 2 sets good work harness, 2 heavy stock saddles, 1 set single harness; 150 good walnut posts. About 50 bushels early No. western seed oats. Will also sell about 50 bushels good white seed corn if not closed out by date of sale.

TERMS—All sums of $10 and under cash; over that amount from 3 to 9 months time with 8 per cent from date. Terms to be complied with before property is removed. Andrews-Fiowers, lunch.

Col. R. P. Hosmer, Auctioneer.
R. N. Barber, Clerk.

M. C. Thompson

PUBLIC SALE

Friday, February 23, 1912

At 10 o'clock a. m., at M. C. Caywood's livery barn in Maitland, Mo.,

40--Head of Mules--40

Ranging in age from 3 to 5 years and mostly mare mules, about six span well broke to work. All of extra good quality. Besides the above there will be a number of GOOD HORSES AND MARES, one extra good jack coming 5 years old.

TERMS—Bankable note at 8 per cent interest from date, from 6 to 12 months' time.

W. D. Gibson and others, Auctioneers.
M. C. Brumbaugh, Clerk.

J. H. BAUBLITS
L. K. RUSSELL

ENGINE JUMPED DOWN ON TOWN

Rolled Down Mountain Side, Killing Four and Injuring Eight.

CRUSHED BUSINESS BUILDINGS

Ore Train Was on Steep Grade When Engineer Lost Control While at Fast Speed—Cars Wrecked on the Rocks.

Salt Lake City, Feb. 16.—Four persons were killed and eight injured at Bingham, Utah, a mining camp near here, when an engine hauling three cars loaded with ore was derailed on a steep grade of the Copper Belt railroad and rolled 250 feet down the mountain side, crashing through the roofs of two of the principal buildings of the town.

Wrecked a Bank.

The engine struck a business block the lower floor of which is occupied by the Citizens State bank. Dr. C. A. Conkling, a dentist having offices on the upper floor, was asleep in his apartments and was severely injured when the engine crashed through the roof. R. R. Sharkey, cashier of the bank, was sleeping in a room at the rear of the bank, but escaped with only minor injuries.

Engineer Fred Annis was killed by striking against a pile of rocks as he jumped from the engine. Felix Lombard, a railroad employe, and C. W. Lewis and Otto Edelmann, tailors, were the others killed.

Two Austrians asleep in a rooming house adjoining the bank building were scalded.

Engineer Lost Control.

According to the yardmaster at Bingham, Engineer Annis lost control of his engine while it was coming down a steep grade, following an ore train. The engine left the track at a sharp curve directly over the business section of the town.

S. W. Brown, foreman in charge of the train, and Dan Goodnough, fireman, escaped injury by jumping.

Felix Lombard, a boiler washer in the employ of the Denver & Rio Grande railroad, one of the men killed, had just finished work and was going home, riding on the engine.

Tender Falls Upon Bed.

The tender of the locomotive fell squarely on the bed in which the two tailors were sleeping. The bodies were crushed.

Engineer Annis was a new man on the road and was returning to town from his first trip to the mines when the accident occurred. The track was on a 7 per cent grade and the train was traveling at high speed when the engine left the rails.

The cars attached to the locomotive were broken loose and were thrown against the side of the mountain on the hill side of the track. Three stores were completely wrecked and the rear of the bank building was demolished.

AMERICANS STARTLED MEXICANS

Soldiers Entered Juarez by Mistake and Whole Town Was Quickly in Arms.

El Paso, Tex., Feb. 16.—American soldiers went into Jaurez by mistake. The soldiers were recruits and a company of them tried to go around from one international bridge to another on the Mexican side. They were stopped by Mexican guards and the whole town quickly was in arms. Cars were stopped and no Americans were allowed to cross the river, which was lined with armed Mexicans on guard duty. The troops had just arrived from Arizona under command of Lieut. M. W. Fields, who said he made a mistake. The town quieted in a few hours and the soldiers were released.

BUTTER WAS FLAVORED WITH OIL

Solomon Kan., Man Fined $25 and Now State Dairy Commissioner is After Others.

Manhattan, Kan., Feb. 16.—Clair Sundall of the Starrett Mercantile company, Solomon, Kan., pleaded guilty and paid $25 fine and costs in a justice court on the charge of handling milk, cream and butter in the same room with oils, eggs and strongly flavored vegetables.

The state dairy commissioner and deputies are gathering information with regard to the practice of handling butter and oils in close proximity in delivery wagons. Many grocerymen are not aware that the quality of butter is much affected by the flavor and odor of surrounding merchandise.

Farmers Clear Roads of Snow.

Hanover, Kan., Feb. 16.—Progressive farmers living west of Hanover got busy as soon as the heavy snow fell and constructed a snow "bucker" 14 feet wide to which they hitched four teams of horses and cleared the roads for five miles into Hanover.

Postal Banks Open to All.

Washington, Feb. 16.—Postmasters at postal savings depositories may accept deposits from anyone. The regulation restricting depositors to the patrons of a particular office was rescinded in an order issued by Postmaster General Hitchcock.

JOHN W. GARRETT

John W. Garrett of Baltimore is the new American minister to the Argentine Republic.

BANK ROBBERS GOT $25,000

ATTACK TAXICAB ON STREET IN NEW YORK.

Most of Money Was in $5 Bills—Messengers Beaten Unconscious —Highwaymen Escaped.

New York, Feb. 16.—Twenty-five thousand dollars in currency was stolen from a taxicab in the heart of the financial district by three men who sprang into the vehicle and overpowered W. F. Smith and Frank Wardell, messengers of the East River National bank. Both messengers were severely injured and the robbers escaped with the money—$15,000 in $5 bills and $10,000 in $100 bills.

The currency was being transported from the Produce Exchange bank in the lower part of the city. The taxicab was passing Trinity churchyard when three men sprang from the curb.

One jumped on the chauffeur's seat, and pressed a revolver in his overcoat pocket against the side of the chauffeur, Gino Martini, ordering him to drive swiftly on without making an outcry.

Inside the vehicle the two others were beating the bank messenger into unconsciousness. At Park Place the highwaymen jumped from the taxicab bearing a tin box, which they had wrested from the messengers and which contained the currency. In a flash they had sprung into a big black motor car that seemed to be waiting their coming and were quickly lost in the maze of traffic.

Martini, the taxicab chauffeur, continued to run his machine until he found a policeman. Here he gave the alarm and the two injured messegers were taken to a police station. Their condition was so bad that they were removed to a hospital.

TO HANG FIVE MEN IN ONE DAY

Four White Men and a Negro to Swing in Illinois—Breaks County Record.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 16.—The state board of pardons decided that the four murderers of Fred W. Guelzow must be hanged in the Cook county jail. The slayers are Ewald and Frank Shibilawski, Thomas Schultz and Phillip Sommerling. With them will hang Thomas Jennings, the negro burglar who shot and killed Clarence Hiller, a railroad official, in Hiller's Chicago home and whose petition for commutation was denied.

The hanging of five men in one day will be a record for Cook county.

To Preach Good Roads.

Columbia, Mo., Feb. 16.—The state board of agriculture is planning a series of meetings over the state this spring in the interest of good roads. At Eldon the first meeting will be held for all of the people of Miller county, February 20. A movement has been started in that county to vote bonds for improvement of roads.

Gave Life for Child.

Guthrie, Ok., Feb. 16.—In protecting her baby, Mrs. John McMahon, living near here, received fatal injuries when a spring wagon in which she was riding with five other persons fell over the side of a bridge, 20 feet down to the bottom of a gully. She fell on her child, but saved it from injury.

Say He Burned a Block.

Arapahoe, Ok., Feb. 16.—Joseph Berg, convicted of bootlegging and horse stealing, was put in jail at Arapahoe charged with burning a city block in Weatherford. About a year ago 30 or 40 men took Berg and his brother from the jail and whipped them until they promised to leave the city forever.

Kansas Normal 47 Years Old.

Emporia, Kan., Feb. 16.—The Kansas state normal school celebrated the 47th aniversary of its founding with all day exercises. The Founders' day program was largely planned by the students. A senior student, Victor Bottomly, gave the principal address, which was a resume of the history and work of the school.

You Are Worth $7.50.

If you weigh 150 pounds you are worth intrinsically, according to your constituent elements, about $7.50. So says a German scientist.

"This value is represented by the phosphorus, lime, iron, sulphur and albumen in a body," says the scientific man.

"The fat is worth about $2.50; of iron there is hardly enough to make even a small nail an inch long. There is sufficient lime to whitewash a pretty good sized chicken house. The phosphorus would be sufficient to put heads on 2,200 matches, and there is enough magnesia to make a pretty firework. The average human body contains enough albumen for one hundred eggs. There is possibly a small teaspoonful of sugar and a pinch of salt."

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Zemo and Zemo Soap Give Instant Relief.

Are you troubled with eczema? Does your skin itch, burn, smart or bleed? if so come into our store and get a special 25c treatment of the one sure, quick relief and positive cure you've been looking for.

Zemo is the guaranteed remedy that has relieved thousands of skin sufferers. A delightful, efficient and germ-destroying antiseptic wash that soothes and heals an inflamed and irritated skin just as readily as it cures eczema, pimples, rashes, psoriasis and other stubborn forms of skin diseases.

Zemo is worth its weight in gold to skin sufferers and we urge you to try this trial treatment. Charles Love's drug store.

When Children Smoked.

Children seem to have smoked with impunity when clay pipes were the only ones known. Thoresby records in his diary on January 20, 1702: "An evening with by brother at Garraway's coffee house. I was surprised to see his sickly child of 3 years old fill its pipe and smoke it as nonchalently as a man of three score; after that, a second and a third pipe without the least concern, as it is said to have done a year ago."

And Mission, who visited England in 1697, notes that "in Worchestershire the children are sent to school with pipes in the satchels, and the schoolmaster calls a halt in their studies while they all smoke."

INDIGESTION GOES

Sourness, Heaviness, Belching and Stomach Distress Quickly Fade Away.

Magical Mi-o-na is what you need for any disturbed condition of the stomach.

Mi-o-na stomach tablets will drive all the poisonous gases from your stomach strong enough to digest any food.

For any ailment caused by weak stomach such as sick headache, dizziness, nervousness, lack of efficiency, bad dreams or bad stomach the morning after too much smoking and drinking—for all the ailments nothing on earth can surpass Mi-o-na. Large box for 50 cents at the Orear-Henry Drug Co. and druggists everywhere.

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No home is complete without a beautiful fern. Our ferns of either the smaller or larger sizes are strong, healthy plants, with extra strong developed roots, and they give satisfaction. We propagate and grow every fern we sell from our own selected stock plants.

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WANTS

Advertisements are inserted in this column at the rate of three lines (18 words) three days for 25 cents. For ads larger than three lines one cent extra will be charged for each word in excess of 18. Cash must accompany order for these small amounts.

FOR RENT—Six-room house, close in, at $12.50. See O. L. Holmes. tf

FOR SALE—Large fireproof safe, Cheap. Charles Hyslop. 10-tf

FOR SALE—Millet hay, horses, mules, cattle and hogs. Inquire Real Estate bank. 15-17

FOR RENT—5-room modern cottage, 308 East Seventh street. Barn, cave, summer kitchen, fruit, street paved. See John Hansen. 16-19

FOR SALE—Barred Plymouth Rock cockerels, one yearling Duroc male hog. See A. R. Robinson, R. D. 5. Phone, Farmers 122. 15-17

WANTED—Young man to share room. Inquire Democrat-Forum. 16-19

FOR RENT—7-room house, two blocks from square. Inquire Democrat-Forum. 20-tf

FOR RENT—A good house, beginning March 1st. South Main street, three blocks from First street. See or phone Wm. G. Sawyers. 15-17

FOR SALE QUICK—Improved 15 acres, two miles from Maryville, only $2,000.00.

Absracts of title, loans and insurance. R. L. McDougal.

INSURE with Hyslop. Fire tornado (farm or city), plate glass, automobile liability, accident or damaged health. Contract and court bonds promptly executed.

ROOMS AND BOARD—Three nice rooms and first floor, all as nicely furnished as parlor rooms. House modern, prices reasonable. Dr. W. H. Brown, 204 East Thompson. tf

FOR SALE—40 acres of land, good house, fair orchard, small barn, adjoining Bedison, Mo., $1,000 down, balance at 6 per cent. U. S. Wright, Farmers phone 14, Maryville, Mo. 12-17

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We Never Sleep.
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First class clothes cleaning and repairing shop. Phones, Hanamo 402 115½ South Main.
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Pumps, windmills, scales, etc., of all kinds sold and repaired by E. J. Bailey, the pump man, at Wm. Everhart's. Bell phone, residence 279; Hanamo, residence 259 Red; Farmers' 56.

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Dry Cleaning, Pressing
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FOR SALE
BUFF PLYMOUTH ROCK COCKERELS
From $2.00 to $5.00 each
F. P. ROBINSON, Maryville, Mo

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Heavy Weight Strain
1st Pen—Fine buff pullets scoring 90 to 95, headed by large, free from white, cockerel scoring 92, prize winner at LaSalle, Ill.
2d Pen—Fine, large pullets, headed by cockerel that headed 2d pen at Maryville, Mo., 1911.
Eggs delivered promptly; fertility guaranteed.
F. W. OLNEY,
Ideal Poultry Yards.
Phone, Bell 277, or Crane's store.

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SAY IT IS USELESS

NO ATTEMPT TO GET REHEARING IN RASCO CASE.

PUTS IT UP TO GOVERNOR

Supreme Court Decision Covers Every Point Raised and Rasco's Only Hope is in Hadley.

"Attorneys for Rasco will file no motion for a rehearing in the case, but will ask Governor Hadley to commute his sentence to life imprisonment," stated Attorney Ellis Cook Friday morning. Mr. Cook said that the opinion of the supreme court was so clear cut and that every objection raised by the defense covered that it was useless to file such a motion.

The matter of commuting the sentence will be taken up with Governor Hadley within the next few days, and some of the attorneys for Rasco will visit the governor and will plead that the circumstantial evidence that convicted Rasco does not justify the extreme penalty of death. No petition will be circulated asking for commutation, as it would be useless so the attorneys stated.

Harry Rasco, a half-brother of Hez Rasco, was in Maryville Thursday and was in conference with Attorney Cook.

Sheriff Tilson said Friday that no arrangements have been made to bring Rasco back to Maryville or to carry out the execution.

ANDREW MOSBY DEAD.

Wealthy Farmer Near Hopkins Died of Pneumonia After Illness of Two Days.

Andrew Mosby, a wealthy farmer who lived one mile south of Hopkins, died Friday morning at 9:30 o'clock of a severe case of pneumonia, as he was sick but two days.

Mr. Mosby had been in excellent health all winter, and his sudden death is a severe shock to the community.

The funeral services will be held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the M. E. church at Hopkins, conducted by the pastor, Rev. Taylor. Burial in Hopkins cemetery.

One year ago the first of March Mr. Mosby and his son, Osmond Mosby, purchased a fine farm just south of town, formerly owned by Simeon Butts, and moved there from Butler, Mo., to make their home. During the short time he lived there he made numerous friends and he was highly respected by all who knew him for his thrift, integrity and honesty.

Andrew Mosby was born in Norway on the 7th day of November, 1844. He was married to Bertha Qvarsteen in Norway on the 29th day of May, 1865. In 1870 they came to America, and after living some time in Iowa they moved to Butler, Mo., where they lived until they came to Hopkins.

Besides his wife, Mrs. Mosby leaves one son, Osmond Mosby, who, with his wife and one son, live at the home place.

Mr. Mosby was a true and faithful member of the M. E. church.

To Move to Maryville.

M. C. Thompson and family of near Burlington Junction will move to Maryville on March 1, where he has bought a five-acre tract of land. He has rented land near the place and will devote his efforts to raising seed corn. Mr. Thompson and son have established a reputation for raising fine seed corn and have won the bulk of prizes at corn shows given in this county last fall and winter. They both won prizes at the state corn show and they find a ready sale for all the corn they raise.

Special

Box papers, 48 sheets writing paper and 48 envelopes, extra quality, 25c, for a few days only.

HOTCHKIN'S VARIETY STORE

106 South Main St.
Maryville, Mo.

DO YOU NEED GLASSES?

Eyes Tested Free

Glasses Accurately Fitted by expert Optician. Repairs Promptly Executed at

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PRAISED MARYVILLE.

R. T. Forbes of St. Joseph Told of Maryville's Good Points.

The following is from the St. Joseph Gazette:

Maryville's good points were dwelt upon at the Commerce club luncheon Wednesday by President R. T. Forbes, who returned Wednesday morning from the Nodaway county seat, where he spoke at the Commercial club banquet. Maryville's civic pride, its enterprise, its industries and its educational institutions, and, above all, its hospitality, were praised by President Forbes, who grew enthusiastic in telling of the good time shown the out-of-town guests at the banquet.

Purchased a Farm.

Preston Seafers has bought an 80-acre farm of Frank VanVelson, near Orrsburg.

WAS READY TO LEAVE

R. M. HARRINGTON, CHARGED WITH ILLEGAL SALE OF LIQUOR.

NEAR GRAND JURY TIME

And Harrington Thought He Had Better Get Out, But Prosecuting Attorney Kept His Eye On Him.

R. M. Harrington, who has been the proprietor of a drug store in Graham for the past several months, was arrested Thursday on a charge of violating the local option laws. Prosecuting Attorney George Pat Wright filed two informations against Harrington, and his case will come up at this term of court.

Harrington had given a bill of sale to his drug store at Graham Thursday to another party and was evidently getting ready to leave the county, as he heard the grand jury was going to meet at this term of court and he did not want to be here about that time. He left Graham Monday, but returned on Thursday and had his affairs in such shape then to leave.

But while Harrington was fixing up his affairs, Prosecuting Attorney Wright kept an eye on him, and on Thursday when he returned to Graham Mr. Wright had him arrested. The arrest was made by Henry Smith and Mr. Roach, and they brought Harrington to Burlington Junction Thursday evening, but at that place Harrington walked away from the officers. It is said that Harrington had given too many drinks to these men, and by the time they arrived at the Junction they were feeling too good to keep an eye on their prisoner.

Harrington walked from the Junction to Elmo, where he spent Thursday night in a livery stable. Sheriff Tilson was informed of a strange man being in Elmo, and when a description was given to him by George Walton, cashier of the Elmo bank, he knew at once that it was Harrington, and instructed Constable John Anderson of that township to arrest him and bring him to Maryville. So Harrington arrived in Maryville Friday at noon and was taken to the county jail.

Prosecuting Attorney Wright is making a special effort to get these men that are violating the local option laws. They generally sell whisky under the guise of a drug store, and when they think it is about time for a grand jury to convene they hike out. But Mr. Wright outgeneraled Mr. Harrington in this matter, as Harrington was on his way to Iowa to get out of the state so the grand jury could not touch him.

Whether a grand jury will be called at this term of court is not known, but the general impression is that there will be one.

Mr. Clifford Wilfley of Ouray, Col., who is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George L. Wilfley, went to Kansas City Friday morning for a few days' stay.

Mrs. O. W. Clark returned to her home in St. Joseph Thursday from a week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Moore of West Third street.

Mrs. O. H. Sayler and little daughter of Hopkins were in Maryville Thursday evening the guests of Judge and Mrs. J. H. Sayler.

John Mutz of the Bee Hive shoe firm was a visitor in Kansas City Thursday.

Mrs. Jane Leech was a business visitor in Pickering Thursday.

LAST DAY LECTURES

FARMERS' SHORT COURSE CAME TO AN END FRIDAY.

HECKER TO SPEAK AT 6:30

Hour is Fixed Early So It May Not Interfere With the Banquet Tonight.

The last day of the farmers' week in the short course at the Normal was opened by Prof. Cameron of the Normal, who introduced the first speaker of the morning, Prof. C. B. Hutchinson. Mr. Hutchinson's lecture dealt with the growing of oats in Missouri, and took up in a very interesting manner the environments necessary to the production of a large yield. He emphasized, as in his lecture on corn, the preparation of the seed bed, and the necessity of using good seed. "The oats crop," said Mr. Hutchinson, "although not as paying a crop as some others, is a very necessary adjunct to the corn crop, and is invaluable to the feeder, and also very useful in the system of rotation of crops."

He was followed at 10 o'clock by Mr. Trowbridge, who talked very thoroughly on the subject of feeding horses. He told the amount a horse should consume, and how the rations should be increased with the increase of work required of the animal. Mr. Trowbridge says that the horse requires and enjoys a variety of foods, and a balanced diet, fully as much as a human being.

Mr. Hutchinson then spoke regarding the experiment field here, and the co-operation between the university and the farmers. The purpose of the field then is to further the best interests of advanced farming, and to give in the best way possible these results to the farmer. The experiment field is a valuable adjunct to the farmers of this vicinity, and all who can should take advantage of it.

The Night Lecture.

By means of his lantern slides Prof. C. H. Eckles, the university dairy expert, made plain several points to consider in picking out a good milk cow. The instructor's slides were of different cattle belonging to the Missouri state agricultural college, and they included five different breeds.

"What I want to emphasize to you farmers," said the dairyman, "is to select some particular breed of cattle and devote your energies to the raising of good cattle in that breed. You can't expect all the heifers you raise to be good milkers. There are bound to be some inferior stock in every herd. Get rid of those cattle that are not a paying proposition, as we do at the university farm."

Prof. Eckles dwelt on the absolute necessity of a clean, sanitary, dairy barn and dry, well drained barn lots in order that the milk from the cows may be clean and wholesome. Several excellent plans of model dairy barns were thrown upon the screen.

At the close of Prof. Eckles' lecture Prof. Hutchinson announced the plan of closing the short course Friday evening with a banquet, which is to be served at the First Christian church. Mr. Hutchinson told the audience that the banquet which closes the farmers' week at the university, which is an annual affair, has become one of the most important features of the entire week, and he expressed a desire that the banquet Friday night would be made a success.

This afternoon Mr. Truman conducted a demonstration in judging dairy cattle at Gray's pavilion.

Prof. A. L. Hecker, the ensilage expert, will deliver his lecture at 6:30 o'clock Friday evening in the auditorium of the First Christian church. The original plan was for Prof. Heckler to give his talk at the banquet, but there are a number of the patrons of the course who do not wish to attend the feed, but who do want to hear the lecture.

The banquet will commence at 7:30 and will be served in the basement of the church. Over 100 tickets have been sold to the banquet.

To See Aged Mother.

S. W. Scott, living northwest of Maryville, left Friday noon for Cambridge, O., where he was called Thursday by the illness of his aged mother, who will be 98 years old in March, if she should live so long.

Here From Montana.

Mr. Wayland Wood and his little daughter of Knowlton, Mont., arrived in Maryville Thursday night and are the guests of Mr. Wood's parents-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Baker.

A 24-VOICE CHORUS

ONE OF THE SPECIAL FEATURES OF ELKS' VAUDEVILLE SHOW.

AND 15-PIECE ORCHESTRA

"The Music Lesson," a Dramatic Sketch, Wooden Shoe Dance and Song Specialties.

The Elks' vaudeville show to be given at the Empire theater next Tuesday evening promises to be one of the best home talent shows ever presented here. Full rehearsals are being given this week.

There are several acts, but the special feature of the show will be "The Music Lesson," a dramatic sketch presented by Misses Bess Scott and Donna Sisson and Mesrs. Glenn Goff and Ed Gray.

A chorus of twenty-four voices of boys and girls, introducing many popular songs and dances, will be one of the acts.

Some of the other numbers of the vaudeville will be:

Adle and Butherus in a wooden shoe dance act.

Prof. Lawler and company in an instrumental musical act.

Miss Bess Scott and Frank Schumacher in a song specialty.

Cartoons.

A special feature film has been secured especially for this occasion and will be shown.

Prof. Lawler and his orchestra is to furnish the music for the show. There are fifteen pieces in the orchestra.

News of Society and Womens' Clubs

Thursday Evening Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Herndon entertained with a dinner Thursday evening. Their guests included Mrs. Herndon's parents Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kennedy of Parnell, and her sister, Mrs. H. A. Suter and daughter of St. Joseph, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Wright and daughter, and Adolph Herndon.

Box Supper a Success.

The box supper at the Swallow school house last Friday night proved to be successful. An entertaining school play, "A Day at Happy Hollow School," was given by the teacher and pupils, with the aid of Miss Chloe Busby, and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Howard. The receipts from the boxes were $37.42. Miss Mona Hoshor is the teacher.

Celebrated Wedding Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Howard, nine miles southeast of Maryville, celebrated their wedding anniversary on February 14. An excellent supper was served by the hostess. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Bert Evans, Mr. and Mrs. Elihu Busby and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Busby, Mrs. Jim Johnson, Mrs. Charles Blagg, Goldie Dean, Mary Busby, Lester Reaksecker, Edith and Bertha Johnson, Edna Busby, Helen Blagg, Alex Johnson.

Valentine Social.

The young people of Palestine Christian church gave a social at the beautiful country home of Henry Anderson Wednesday evening, February 14. The rooms and dining tables were beautifully decorated in honor of St. Valentine. The different booths were an attractive feature and were well patronized. A large crowd was in attendance, who spent an enjoyable time. A net sum was realized, which will be used to pay for a musical instrument for the church.

Party at the Elks'.

A very enjoyable affair was the card and domino party given at the Elks club Thursday evening for the members and their lady friends. Six-hand euchre was played and prizes were won by Miss McClurg and Berney Harris, while at dominoes prizes were won by Mrs. W. R. Tilson and John Aley. A vote of those present was taken as to their preference for president of the United States and Mayor Arthur S. Robey headed the list with 33 votes. Refreshments were served, after which dancing took place, Prof. Lawler furnishing the music on the piano.

Entertained Thursday Evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Myers had a sociable affair for a few of their young friends at their home south of the city, on Thursday evening. Those

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HERE FOR GAME.

Benton High Team Arrived for Game With Normal Team.

Coach Walter Hansen and seven basket ball warriors of the St. Joseph Benton high school arrived in Maryville today at noon for their game with the Normal five tonight at the Normal gymnasium. The entire squad is in excellent condition, and it's a certainty that they will put up a grand game.

Mr. Hansen gave out the following as his probable line-up:

Beatty (captain) and Sack, forwards; Raphael, center; Otten and Goldberg, guards; Garber and Emerson, substitutes.

The game will commence at 8:15 and will be preceded by a preliminary game between the training school five and some team of the local high school.

HE LEADS THE BAND

HUSTLING PASTOR OF HARMONY WHO DOES THINGS.

CORN CONTEST IN CHURCH

Prizes Amounting to $45 for Acre Yields—Oyster Supper Netted Ladies About $25.

The Harmony M. P. church neighborhood, east of the city, had a big time Wednesday evening, but then, they always do. The boys in that community that belong to the band gave a concert at the church, and it was much appreciated by the people. While the band has only been organized three months, they are turning to be good players under the leadership of Rev. C. R. Greene.

After the concert a corn contest was held in the church and was participated in by seventeen boys of that Sunday school between the ages of 10 and 17. Prizes amounting to $45 were offered for the largest acre yield of corn. Cecil McKee won first, his average being 82 bushels and 14 pounds. He received a prize of $25. The second one of $15 went to Everett Porter, who raised 80 bushels of corn on an acre. The third one of $5 went to Floriam Porter, who raised 76 bushels. All of the contestants in this contest submitted their certified reports the same as they did in the county contest held last fall in Maryville, and the same rules governed the contest.

The committee in charge of the affair was: Elmer Newcomer, president; Fred Curfman, secretary; Neal Craig, treasurer, and J. H. Alexander and G. J. Harbison.

The money for the prizes were donated by the members of that congregation, and Rev. Greene, the pastor, gave $25 of it.

After the contest the ladies of the church served oysters and cleared about $25. The occasion was an enjoyable one.

Married Sixty-Two Years.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Wright, who live near Bedison, are improving from a long spell of ill health. They are among the best and most widely known pioneer residents of Nodaway county. If they live until the 17th of the coming March they will celebrate the sixty-second anniversary of their marriage.

To Return Saturday.

Rev. C. J. Miller will return to Maryville Saturday from Des Moines, where he and Mrs. Miller have been visiting this week. Mrs. Miller will go from Des Moines to northern Iowa, where she will visit her parents for several days.

Made Speech on Socialism.

John Rehm of Springfield, O., was in Maryville Wednesday and made a speech on one of our street corners for the principles of socialism. He was the guest of his cousin, Conrad Schweitzer, while in the city.

Returned From Wyoming.

Joseph Crossan, who has been living in Wyoming for several years, returned to Maryville Thursday night and will farm the place of his father, I. G. Crossan, southeast of Maryville, the coming year.

Left for Nebraska.

Circuit Judge and Mrs. G. H. M. Grimes of North Platte, Neb., were in Maryville a short time Thursday evening on their way home from a short visit at Bedford, Ia., with Mrs. Grimes' mother, Mrs. W. F. Evans.

DOCKET NOT LARGE

REGULAR TERM OF CIRCUIT COURT CONVENES MONDAY.

ELEVEN DIVORCE CASES

Glover Suit May Be Settled Out of Court—Forty-Two Equity Cases and Ten Criminal Cases.

The regular February term of Nodaway county circuit court will convene Monday with Judge W. C. Ellison on the bench. The docket for this term is not a large one, there being about the usual number of cases to be tried.

The parole docket will be taken up Monday, and there are some forty cases. On Tuesday the equity docket will come up, and there are forty-two cases on the docket that will come up.

Friday, February 23, is divorce day. There are only eleven divorce cases filed. There are also five applications for citizenship which will be considered by the court on Saturday.

The most important case to be tried at this term of court is the $20,000 damage suit of James Glover vs. David T. Garrett for the alienation of the affections of Glover's wife. There are rumors that the case will not be tried but will be settled out of court. The case is set for trial on Thursday, February 29.

The criminal docket will be taken up on Wednesday, March 4. There are only ten of these cases and they are: State vs. James Gaulding, burglary and larceny; Wood Gaulding, charged with burglary; James Gaulding, carrying concealed weapons; Ned Holmes and Harold Ewing, grand larceny; John Merrill, wife abandonment; Jesse Gage and George Schneider, affray in public streets; Sam Phillips, appeal from justice of peace court by defendant; Irvin Schroyer, carnal knowledge of female under age of 18 years; Frank Gallagher, carrying concealed weapons.

It is not known whether the court will call a grand jury or not at this term, but many are of the opinion that there will be one.

UNIFORMS ARE HERE.

The Missouri Ladies' Military Band Will Appear in Uniforms at the Empire Tonight.

The Missouri Ladies' Military band will appear in their new uniforms at their first concert at the Empire theater Friday night. The uniforms arrived Friday morning at the Alderman store, and they are certainly nobby looking. Go to the concert tonight and you will be convinced of their right to their military name, as much by their fine appearance as by the good music they will give.

Quite a number of out-of-town people arrived in the city today to attend the concert tonight. Nearly all the seats were taken on the first floor Friday morning, and the gallery seats are being rapidly taken.

Revival Services.

A fine audience greeted Evangelist Calfee at the revival services at the First Methodist Episcopal church last night. The singing of the choir was the best yet, and the work of the Normal Quartet was unusually fine, and Mrs. Whitchurch rendered a beautiful solo.

Evangelist Calfee chose for his text Heb. 2:3, and for three-quarters of an hour he held the closest attention of the audience while he portrayed the results of a sinful life.

The meeting for girls and young men was well attended in the afternoon and resulted in one conversion.

Arrangements are made for a good meeting for the boys and young men on Saturday evening at 7:30.

Come out this evening at 3 o'clock and 7:30, as these will be the last public services this week.

Mrs. Fred Wooldridge and her little daughter of Hopkins were Maryville visitors Thursday, and were guests of Mrs. H. E. Torrance and her granddaughter, Miss Mary Wooldridge.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Severs of Elmo were in Maryville Friday on their way to Bedford to visit Mrs. Severs' mother and sisters.

THE WEATHER

Unsettled weather and probably occasional rain tonight or Saturday; not much change in temperature.

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CONGRATULATIONS TO MISSOURI.

W. J. Bryan, in this week's Commoner, had the following about the settlement of the contest in this state between Joseph W. Folk and Champ Clark:

"Missouri Democrats are to be congratulated upon the settlement of the contest between Messrs. Folk and Clark. That contest promised to have demoralizing effect not only upon the party in the state but upon the national party. Missouri is to be congratulated that the differences have been settled, and every Democrat who had a part in bringing about that settlement is entitled to thanks."

This Prayer Should Be Answered.

A subscriber, who professes herself a "lover of horses and dogs," requests The Democrat-Forum to reproduce at this time the classic, "Prayer of the Horse." It is worthy of the consideration of all at all times and is here given in full:

To thee, my master, I offer my prayer; feed me and care for me, and when the day's work is done, please provide me with shelter, a clean, dry bed, and a stall wide enough for me to lie down in comfort.

Pet me sometimes, that I may serve you the more gladly and learn to love you. Do not jerk the reins and do not whip me when going up hill.

Never strike, beat or kick me when I do not understand what you want, but give me a chance to understand you. Watch me, and if I fail to do your bidding, see if something is not wrong with my harness or feet.

Do not check me so I cannot have the free use of my head. If you insist that I wear blinders so that I cannot see behind me, as it was intended I should, I pray you be careful that blinders stand well out from my eyes.

Do not overload me or hitch me where water will drop on me. Keep me well shod. Examine my teeth when I do not eat; I may have an ulcerated tooth and that, you know, is very painful. Do not tie my head in an unnatural position or take away my best defense against flies and mosquitoes by cutting off my tail. I cannot tell you when I am thirsty, so give me clean, cool water often. Save me by every means in your power from that fatal disease, glanders. I cannot tell you in words when I am sick, so watch me that by signs you may know my condition. Give me all possible shelter from the hot sun and put a blanket on me when I am cold; not when I am working, but when I am standing in the cold. Never put a frosty bit in my mouth! first warm it by holding it a moment in your hands. I try to carry you and your burdens faithfully without a murmur, and wait patiently for you long hours of the day or night.

Without the power to choose my shoes or path, I sometimes fall on hard pavements, which I often prayed might be of wood or some such nature as to give me a safe and sure footing. Remember I must be ready at any moment to lose my life in your service. And finally, oh my master, when my useful strength is gone, do not turn me out to starve or freeze, or sell me to some cruel owner to be slowly tortured to death; but do thou, my master, take my life in the kindest way, and your God will reward you here and hereafter. You will not consider me irreverent when I ask this in the name of Him who was born in a stable. Amen.

Vouched For.

Here's a conversation we actually overheard:

"Hello, Jim! How are you?"

"Fine."

"How's our old friend James?"

"Doing nicely. He's gone in for a course in health culture."

"That so? Well, he can stand it—he always did have a magnificent constitution.'—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Mrs. K. C. Riley of Bedison was in Maryville Wednesday and Thursday and visited Mrs. J. Higgins.

NEWS OF SOCIETY AND WOMEN'S CLUBS

(Continued from page 1.)

present were Mr. and Mrs. Peter Meyers and sons, Misses Hazel Master, Helen Master, Agatha Henggeler of Clyde, Lucy Sturm, Jennie Sturm, Anna Dougan, Ella O'Grady, Margaret Dunahue, Lirry Strawn, Mildred Palmer, Beulah Renshaw, Will Dempsey, Mill Dunahue, Ray Master, Will Alkire, Henry Strawn, Frank Gallagher, Earl Dempsey, Ernest Thull, Alfred Sturm, Harman Seiple, Richard Bicket, Earl Sturm. Frank Rennels and Joseph Switzer gave several musical numbers.

For Nebraska Visitor.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Young of East Third street entertained with a domino party Thursday evening, in compliment to Mr. Clay Wright of St. Ann, Neb. The partly included Mr. and Mrs. Albert Appleby and daughter, Alvena; Miss Bessie Curnutt, Misses Daisy, Donna and Ruth Young, Messrs. Raleigh Moss, Dale Steward, Isaac Young, Orville Appleby and Guy Young.

Valentine Party.

One of the most enjoyable events of the season occurred Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Yeager, when they entertained the Dew Drop Inn club with an oyster supper and valentine party. First there was a mail box, Mr. Harry Farrar being postmaster. Every one received valentines. Then in a contest of "untangling the tangle," Mr. Harry Farrar and little Miss Mildred Jones received the prize. In a contest of "spearing the heart," Mrs. Harry Farrar received the prize for spearing nearest the center of the heart, and Mr. Claud Moore received the consolation prize for being the farthest away from it. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Claud Moore and son, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Jones and children, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Orme and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Farrar and daughter, Mrs. Elmer Baker and daughter, and the hostand hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Yeager, and daughter, Geneva Yeager. Then after listening to some fine instrumental music by the hostess the club adjourned to meet in two weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Yeager.

Pickering Mothers' Club.

Owing to the serious illness of Mrs. J. R. Heryford's mother, the Pickering Mothers' club met Thursday at the home of Mrs. E. L. Crowson. There was a full attendance of the membership and several visitors were present. The subject, "The Child's Relation to the Home," proved the most interesting the club has yet discussed. Rev. F. M. Lindenmeyer led the devotional service and Mrs. Stewart Robinson acted as leader of the meeting, and presented an excellent program. A fine paper on the subject was given by Mrs. O. G. Null, and an excellent talk by Rev. Lindenmeyer on "What Vital Part of Home Life Does the Child Occupy?" Mrs. C. A. Wolfers answered the question, "How May the Rights of Children Be Protected in a Home Where There is an Invalid or an Aged Person?" Mrs. Will Hinton, "How May the Art of Homemaking Be Taught to Our Girls?" Mrs. Lola Hood, "What is the Boy's Part in Home Life?" Mrs. E. L. Crowson, "How Can the Beauty of Service Be Taught to Children?" A general discussion followed on "When Should the Parents Sacrifice Their Pleasure for the Pleasure of Their Children?" Mrs. John McGuire then gave a reading. The next meeting of the club will be held March 2, Mrs. C. G. McMillen, hostess.

St. Valentine's Party.

A crowd of merry neighbors gathered at the home of Mr. John Brunson, nine miles south of town, on the evening of St. Valentine's day. It being Mr. Brunson's birthday, it was given as a surprise to him, and also as a farewell party to him and his family before they leave for their new home, two miles north of town. A supper of oysters, ice cream and cake was served by the ladies present. Those who took part in the merry gathering were: Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ike, Mr. and Mrs. Art Ramey and children, Mr. and Mrs. Elder Baker and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Heflin, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Key, Mr. and Mrs. James Blagg, Mr. and Mrs. DeWitt Bolin, Mrs. Ed Bolin and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Hoshor and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cox, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Davidson and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Collins, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lyle and son, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Long, Mr. and Mrs. Dude Pittsenberger, Warren Phelps, Irma, Gladys and Homer Long, Mr. Dunn, Everett Moore, June Blagg, Howard Morrison, Clyde, Douglas and Charles Hoshor, Bert and Gertie Ike, Emma and Ella Ballenger, Ruby and Alva Heflin, Robert and Alma Hillsbeck, Ed and Will Pittsenberger, Mona, Chloe and Emma Hoshor, Velma, Elsie and Edith Pittsenberger, Nannie Keenan, Prof. M. McCann, Nellie Pittsenberger, Alma Outs, Mabel Moore, Charles Crandall.

Eversole Employees' Party.

The Eversole store employees gave a domino party in the store Thursday night from 8 to 11 o'clock, which was one of the most enjoyable social events of the kind that has been given in our city. Assisting in entertaining were Miss Charlotte Murrin, Miss Bertha Anderson and Miss Hazel Garrett, who served punch, sandwiches and coffee to the company on arrival, and at the close of the evening refreshments of ice cream and cake were served. The tally cards were handsomely hand painted, and on one side contained a picture of the son and grandson of the Eversole firm, Ralph Wilson Eversole. Handsomely embossed souvenir folders were given to each guest. On the title page was printed "Eversole's Store Employees' Party. February 15, 1912." On the outer page was a picture of Master Ralph Wilson Eversole, as "Our Mascot." The inner pages contained a list of the present and former clerks of the store who are: Miss Irene Swinford, Miss Marguerite O'Donnell, Miss Stella McDowell, Miss Esther Eversole, Miss Nellie Alkire, Miss Effie Collins, Miss Hazel Lake, Miss Elizabeth Heffern, Miss Lora Livasy, Mrs. Alice Lake, Mrs. Margaret Dougan, Mrs. Frankie Hollowell, Mrs. George Anderson, Mr. Otto Frazee. The list of former clerks included Miss Neva Templeton, Miss Helen Dougan, Miss Audrey McMillen, Miss Chloe Smith, Miss Marie Jones, Miss Emma Lavelle, Mrs. Grace Ritchie Mutz, Mrs. Mamie Mahoney Dougan, Mrs. Nell Mahoney Ray, Mrs. Lillie Protzman Walker, Mrs. Emma Rickman Trueblood, Mrs. Ruby Ritchie Green, Mrs. Grace Stamper Masters, Mrs. Alice Ingerson Harper, Mrs. Irene Parrish Ingerson, Mrs. Pauline Straugh Masters, Mrs. Dora Brady Walz, Mrs. Anna Denmark Denning, Mrs. Will Wyant, Mrs. W. L. Schoonover, Mr. Ferdinand M. Townsend, Mr. Lon Lyle, Mr. Lewis White, Mr. Ray Kinney, Mr. Ernice Templeton.

"I'm Pretty Little, But I'll Try."

She was only 7 years old Eileen Martin, the section foreman's daughter, as she stood reaching up to a telephone at the little town of Alta, Cal., last Saturday, telling the agent at the nearest station that a rail was broken. Childlike, she knew the semaphore signals, had come to the track to see the Overland Limited whirl by, and had watched the long finger drop, letting the train into the block.

"I'm pretty little, but I'll try," she said, when the station agent asked her if she could not stop the train that was past him, and started out with her sister of 14, who had just appeared. They ran down the track, stopped the train, and saved a wreck.

Pretty much every primary school in the city ought within the next week, to hear of Eileen's "I'm pretty little, but I'll try." The alert attention which knew the semaphore signal, the quick wit which understood what a broken rail meant, the decision and initiative which alone sought the telephone, the courage with which she and her sister started up the track, waving their aprons to stop the big Overland Limited as it bore down upon them—these are the qualities which through life bring self-help, help for others, success and happiness.

And she was only 7 years old, "pretty little," but ready to "try."—Philadelphia Press.

Meeting of County Anti-Saloon Alliance.

The County Anti-Saloon League is called by its president, F. H. Badger, to meet in the M. E. church, South, in Maryville, Tuesday, February 20, at 1 p. m. A full attendance of all the members is desired. The membership includes all the pastors and one layman from each church in the county.

C. H. JOHN, Secretary.

New Baby in St. Joseph.

Mr. and Mrs. John J. Walsh of St. Joseph announce the birth of a daughter, Mary Louise, Sunday morning, February 11. Mrs. Walsh is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nic Sturm of this city.

Captain and Mrs. I. M. Woods went to Hopkins Friday to visit the family of their son, Charles Woods. Mrs. Woods has been sick for three weeks, and her son came to Maryville Friday morning and took his parents home with him for a visit until his mother's recovery.

Miss Irene Dodds of Bolckow arrived in Maryville Friday on a visit with her cousin, Miss Carrie Hopkins, and Miss Nelle Hudson.

Miss Nelle Swearengen of Bedison is in Maryville for a week's visit with Miss Ada Clayton.

PILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS.

Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days. 50c

Today's Markets

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—2,000. Market steady. Estimate tomorrow, 200.

Hogs—30,000. Market weak; top, $6.30. Estimate tomorrow, 17,000.

Sheep—6,000. Market 10c higher.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—500. Market steady.

Hogs—4,500. Market weak; top, $6.25.

Sheep—1,000. Market 10c higher.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—500. Market steady.

Hogs—5,000. Market weak; top, $6.25.

Sheep—400.

St. Louis Live Stock Market.

Cattle receipts, 3,000. Values unchanged in all branches. Nothing very toppy on sale. Rather look for a fair market next week.

Hog receipts, 15,000. Market 5c higher; top, $6.40; bulk, $6.10 to $6.30.

Sheep receipts, 4,000. The general market was steady; western and native lambs at $6.40; Colorado lambs sold 10c higher; top, $6.75. No change for ewes—$4.25.

National Live Stock Commission Co.

Have a New Daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Norris of this city announce the birth of a daughter to them Thursday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Goforth of Bolckow arrived Friday for a visit with Mr. Goforth's brother, W. E. Goforth, and family.

Miss Mary Bell returned to her home in Liberty Friday, after a few weeks' visit with her cousin, Mrs. J. D. Richey.

Mrs. Roy Wolfers of Pickering was in Maryville Friday, returning home from a visit with relatives at Omaha.

Miss Georgia Evans returned Friday from a day's visit at Pickering with Miss Hattie Patterson.

Miss Lena Steren and Miss Josie Hagan of Clyde were shopping in Maryville Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bosley and little daughter of near Clyde were in Maryville Thursday.

Mrs. Frank Pemberton of Blanchard, Ia., was a Maryville business visitor Thursday.

Miss Golda Ulmer spent Thursday afternoon in Hopkins with her parents.

Mrs. Mary Hildebrand of Guilford was in Maryville on business Thursday.

Results Always the Same.

There was a prosecuting attorney in the south who was so uniformally successful wih his cases that he not only became the terror of evil-doers, but an object of admiration to every one, and especially to the negroes of the city in which he lived.

When he left public office he was at once sought out by those charged with crime. Much to his chagrin, the first two cases that he defended resulted in the conviction of his clients.

An old negro who had watched his prosecutions in admiring wonder, and looked on with equal wonder now that he conducted the defence, accosted him just after his second defeat.

"Mars Earle," he said in awed tones, "you sho is a wonder! No matter which side you's on, they goes to the pen jes' the same."

Work Tells Nationality.

Mrs. Henry White, wife of the well-known American diplomat, who served in almost every court in Europe, is the authority for the statement that the nationality of a woman may be easily betrayed by the kind of fancy work in which she engages as she sits on hotel verandas in famous resorts of Europe. The American has her frame with gay colored silk, and stitches away on flowers, fruits or quaint figures for the decoration of her dining table, her boudoir or her own comely person. The British woman never seems happy unless she is fashioning Battenberg lace sewed on indigo blue paper, where the pattern is traced. The French woman works into fine white cambric those lovely clusters of vine and flowers in the best cotton floss, known as "French embroidery." The Italian woman delights in the fine lace that has made the nation illustrious, and many a woman bearing a title that dates back several hundred years can make lace which rivals the best which the looms of Venice can produce.

Not at All Entertained.

"Prisoner, are you guilty or not guilty?"

"I can't answer that question," replied the man accused of fluffy finance. "There were so many counts in the indictment and its literary style was so involved that I couldn't stay awake."

Whole Rye Food

YOU know how wholesome good German rye bread is. The sturdiest, healthiest people in the world eat it. Rye is the complete food—the kind that will do you the most good and leave the best taste in your mouth. Contains the vital elements that common oatmeal and corn flakes lack.

Cream of Rye

"EAT IT FOR HEALTH"

is soft tender flakes made from the whole rye berry with all the nourishment left in. A food to be cooked, therefore, free from the dangerous dust and germs which science denounces in ready prepared flakes, etc. Not only nourishing, but flushes the system of waste and tones up the digestive organs. The ideal breakfast food, but just as good in bread, puddings, muffins and fritters. Everybody likes it. Get it from your grocer.

Free Spoon Right in the Package Look for the beautiful rye pattern silver plated teaspoon packed with Cream of Rye. This handsome spoon would itself cost you more than price of package. Exchangeable for other pieces of silverware if desired.

MINNEAPOLIS CEREAL CO., Inc., Minneapolis, Minn.

FREE HANDSOME SPOON RIGHT IN THE PACKAGE

Alderman Dry Goods Co.

The White Sale Ends Tomorrow Night

Only one more day to select from our complete stocks of

THE NEW EMBROIDERIES
THE NEW LACES
THE NEW WHITE WEAR
THE NEW WHITE GOODS

at reduced prices

A REAL AUCTIONEER

If it's the Money You Want, Then Get J. O. Bolin to Cry Your Sale

Bolin gets the price; gets the crowd; is a natural auctioneer; guarantees satisfaction. Phone him at Arkoe, Mo., his expense.

The Country Editor.

"The country editor has to make much of the news he writes. The commercial club, the church, the base ball team, the law and order league, the college, the county central committee, the whist club, and the good roads movement, all must feel the influence of his guilding hand.

"He must be in everything and run errands for everyone, send out circulars, to the town lying for harmony sake, and hold the sack. He must be guide, philosopher, and friend to those in trouble, and be mentor and admonisher to those who are about to get into trouble.

"The preacher, the town drunkard, the statesman, the social climber, the real estate boomer, the man from the grand lodge who is about to exemplify the new work, the promoter, the broken soldier kindly bade to stay, the captain of industry, and the girl with the fatherless baby all come to him to help them in their troubles.

"He is the town confessor, the town boomer, and the town goat, doormat rock of refuge, errand boy and the vicarious sacrifice.

"The editor is the only creature in all the wide animal kingdom that needs the wings of a dove, the strength of a lion, the protective odor of a skunk, the smooth crawling belly of the worm of the dust, and the aspiration of a god."—Walt Mason.

A marriage license was issued Thursday evening to Frank Gwinn of Clyde and Miss Gladys Thompson of Barnard.

DE LAVAL CREAM SEPARATOR

A Money Maker and Saver

The Cow's Best Friend

If you are still skimming milk by the old-fashioned "setting" system you are losing about one pound of cream in every four and you are not giving your cows a square deal.

With a De Laval cream separator you would get 20 to 35% more, and much better, cream, and besides would have warm sweet milk to feed to your calves and pigs.

We know that the De Laval will give you better service and last twice as long as any other separator and will be a money-maker for you.

Ask any of your neighbors who use a De Laval what kind of service their machines have given them. If a De Laval will save cream and make money for your neighbors it will do as much for you. Why not give it a trial?

Easiest to turn, easiest to wash, skims the cleanest lasts the longest

SOONER OR LATER YOU WILL BUY A DE LAVAL

Campbell-Clark Hdw. Co.

MARYVILLE

YOUR GRAY HAIRS QUICKLY VANISH

A Harmless Remedy, Made from Garden Sage, Restores Color to Gray Hair.

A feeling of sadness accompanies the discovery of the first gray hairs which unfortunately are looked upon as heralds of advancing age. Gray hair, however handsome it may be, makes a person look old. We all know the advantages of being young. Aside from the good impression a youthful appearance makes on others, simply knowing that you are "looking fit" gives one courage to undertake and accomplish things. So why suffer the handicap of looking old on account of gray hairs, when a simple remedy will give your hair youthful color and beauty in a few days' time?

Most people know that common garden sage acts as a color restorer and scalp tonic as well. Our grandmothers used a "Sage Tea" for keeping their hair dark, soft and luxuriant. In Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy we have an ideal preparation of Sage, combined with Sulphur and other valuable remedies for dandruff, itching scalp and thin, weak hair that is split at the ends or constantly coming out. A few applications of this valuable remedy will bring back the color, and in a short time it will remove every trace of dandruff and greatly improve the growth and appearance of the hair.

Get a fifty cent bottle from your druggist today, and notice the difference in your hair after a few days' treatment. All druggists sell it, under guarantee that the money will be refunded if the remedy is not exactly as represented.

Special Agent, Koch Pharmacy.

CATARRH MISERIES FOREVER ENDED

A Simple, Safe Remedy Brings Instant Relief, even in the Worst Cases.

The most effective and harmless way to cure catarrh or a cold in the head is to apply a little Ely's Cream Balm. This pleasant, harmless, antiseptic, cleansing, Balm quickly heals the sore membranes and restores the sense of taste and smell. It will surely relieve even the worst case of catarrh.

Get a 50 cent bottle from your druggist, use it according to directions, and cold in the head, catarrh, catarrhal headache, head noises and sneezing will all go. More than this, the Balm will strengthen the sensitive membranes, so that you can resist and throw off colds.

Quick relief from catarrhal misery awaits you at any drug store. A 50 cent bottle of Ely's Cream Balm is generally more than sufficient for even a chronic case of catarrh or hay fever. It is perfectly harmless.

Special Agent, Koch Pharmacy.

QUEEN INCUBATORS

Best on the market for the money.

Campbell & Clark

FARM LOANS

$50,000.00

To loan on Nodaway county improved farms. Large loans preferred. See me for rates.

JAMES B. ROBINSON

At Nodaway Valley Bank.

AMERICAN FENCE

Campbell & Clark

FEBRUARY 16, 1912.

50--Good for 50 Votes--50

Cut out this coupon and present at our store and we will give you credit for 50 votes.

Good for 50 Votes

(This coupon is printed in both the Democrat-Forum and Tribune daily papers).

Not good after Thursday, February

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Raines Brothers

JEWELERS & OPTICIANS

109 West Third St.

A GREAT DISCOVERY.

Certain Ingredients That Really Promote Hair Growth When Properly Combined.

Resorcin is one of the most effective germ destroyers ever discovered by science, and in connection with Beta Napthol, which is both germicidal and antiseptic, a combination is formed which destroys the germs which rob the hair of its natural nourishment, and also creates a clean, healthy condition of the scalp, which prevents the development of new germs.

Pilocarpin, although not a coloring matter or dye, is a well-known ingredient for restoring the hair to its natural color, when the loss of hair has been caused by a disease of the scalp.

These ingredients in proper combination, with alcohol added as a stimulant and for its well-defined nourishing properties, perfect perhaps the most effective remedy that is known for scalp and hair troubles.

We have a remedy which is chiefly composed of these ingredients, in combination with other extremely invaluable medicinal agents. We guarantee it to positively cure dandruff and to grow hair, even though the scalp in spots is bare of hair. If there is any vitality left in the roots, it will positively cure baldness, or we will refund your money. If the scalp has a glazed, shiny appearance, it's an indication that baldness is permanent, but in other instances we believe baldness is curable.

We want every one troubled with scalp disease or loss of hair to try Rexall "93" Hair Tonic. If it does not cure dandruff and grow hair to the satisfaction of the user, we will without question or quibble return every cent paid us for it. We print this guarantee on every bottle. It has effected a positive cure in 93% of cases where put to a practical test.

Rexall "93" Hair Tonic is entirely unlike, and we think, in every particular, better than anything else we know of for the purpose for which it is prescribed. We urge you to try this preparation at our entire risk. Certainly we know of no better guarantee to give you. Remember, you can obtain Rexall Remedies only at our store—The Rexall Store. The Orear-Henry Drug Co., 113 North Main Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Douglas of Bedison came to Maryville Thursday to visit until the week end with Mr. Douglas's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Douglas of West First street.

ANSWERS THE CALL.

Maryville People Have Found That This is True.

A cold, a strain, a sudden wrench,
A little cause may hurt the kidneys.
Spells of backache often follow,
Or some irregularity of the urine.
A splendid remedy for such attacks,
A medicine that has cured thousands
Is Doan's Kidney Pills.
Thousands of people rely upon it.
Here is one case:

Rev. I. R. M. Beeson, Savannah, Mo., says: "I still have great faith in Doan's Kidney Pills and gladly confirm all I said in my endorsement of this remedy that was given two years ago. I have taken Doan's Kidney Pills and have found them very effective in toning up the system and removing trouble, caused by the kidneys. I can strongly recommend this preparation to all kidney sufferers."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

A marriage license was issued in St. Joseph Thursday to Thurman Carmichael of Maryville and Miss Alma Hiles of Braddyville, Ia.

DANDRUFF GOES.

Quickest Dandruff Cure World Has Ever Known.

If you want to get rid of dandruff in the shortest possible time get a bottle of Parisian Sage today and use it.

Besides banishing dandruff and making your scalp immaculately clean, Parisian Sage is guaranteed to stop falling hair and itching scalp and impart life and beauty to the hair.

One of Rochester's most prominent barbers writes:

Gentlemen: "I am a barber of fifteen years' experience, have used many things for hair but never found anything equal to Parisian Sage for removing dandruff. It is also a splendid hair dressing and quickly stops itching scalp. I have used it for the last three years."—T. D. Smith, Chamber of Commerce Building, Rochester, N. Y., June 27, 1911.

Parisian Sage is sold by the Koch Pharmacy and druggists everywhere for 50 cents.

For Sale.

Thirty head of extra good full-blood Oxford ewes.

F. P. ROBINSON,
2-tf Maryville, Mo.

For Sale

At a bargain, good sawmill, Russell make; has double saw; in first class shape. If you want a snap write me at once. A. P. BOLIN, Arkoe, Mo.

TWO FOUND DEAD ON KANSAS FARM

Man 54, and Stepdaughter of 14, Lying in Slough.

GIRL WAS MISSED FROM SCHOOL

Clara Stickney Had Been Shot and the Stepfather, J. J. Rickels, Struck on Head—Shotgun Found Under His Body.

Topeka, Feb. 16.—John J. Rickels, a farmer 54 years old, and his stepdaughter, Clara Belle Stickney, 14 years old, were found murdered in a slough on the Rickels farm, eight miles north of here. The girl had been shot in the back of the head with a shotgun, and the man's head had been crushed by a heavy instrument or club.

Mysterious Circumstances.

The case so far is a mystery. The coroner left here after a hasty examination indicated that the girl had been killed first and the man later. As the man was lying on his face in a pool of blood with the shotgun under him, the officers are led to believe that he may have shot the girl and than somebody, a witness of the crime, killed him by a terrific blow on the head. There was a long scar on his head just above the forehead and the top part of his skull was crushed. The bodies were lying within a few feet of each other.

Mother's Suspicion Aroused.

The suspicions of Mrs. Rickels, wife of the murdered man and own mother of the girl, were aroused when Herbert, a half-brother of the girl, 7 years old, returned home from school and said his sister had not been at school all day. The father also had been missing. A searching party was organized and the bodies were found late in the afternoon. Both the man and the girl evidently had been dead many hours. It is known that the girl did not like her stepfather, and the officers incline to the theory that he met her while she was on her way to school, waylaid her and drove her into the field and slough at the point of a gun; that somebody saw them and followed, and that the shot which killed the girl was fired only a few seconds before the blow which killed the man was struck.

Mrs. Rickels expressed the belief that her husband had killed the girl and then caused his own death. The county authorities, while inclined to Mrs. Rickels' theory of the girl's death, do not believe Rickels killed himself. The nature of the wound is such, they say, that it could not have been self-inflicted. While Mrs. Rickels insists that her husband murdered the girl, she says she knows no motive for such an act. She would not admit that there was any ill-feeling between her husband and her daughter.

The bodies were brought to Topeka and are being held for an inquest, which probably will be held Saturday, Coroner Bomgartner said.

CHINESE SHIPS CELEBRATING

Establishment of United Republic Marked by Salutes From Vessels In Harbors.

Shanghai, Feb. 16.—Extensive celebrations were held both at Nankin and Shanghai in honor of the United Republic. The Chinese ships at Shanghai were bedecked with flags, while the warships and arsenal fired salutes from 21 guns.

Chefoo, Feb. 16.—Three Chinese cruisers lying in the harbor celebrated the establishment of the republic by a salute of 21 guns. The United States cruiser Cincinnati has returned here from Teng Chow Fu with six missionaries aboard. The other missionaries refused to leave on the Cincinnati which supplied them with arms and ammunition.

American in French Jail.

Nice, Feb. 16.—Frank H. Partridge of New York, a member of the Union League club, is a prisoner in the Nice jail on account of cashing at the Hotel Majestic checks to the amount of $3,000, which were returned unpaid. He is on the verge of nervous collapse as a result of his experience. The American colony of Nice is condemning the hasty action of the hotel people in throwing him into prison on what seems an error.

Folk's Name Withdrawn.

Lincoln, Neb., Feb. 16.—The petition filed last Monday asking that the name of Joseph W. Folk of Missouri be placed on the Democratic preferential preliminary ballot has been withdrawn at the request of the Missouri ex-governor.

Put Kerosene in Stove.

Wichita, Feb. 16.—Thomas Serro of Rich Hill, Mo., died in the baggage car of a Missouri Pacific train just before reaching Wichita, from burns received when he attempted to build a fire by pouring kerosene into a stove at his home.

Four Killed in a Wreck.

Altoona, Pa., Feb. 16.—Four passengers were killed and 25 others injured when the Pennsylvania Limited Express from Chicago to New York was wrecked at Warrior's Ridge, Pa.

COURT-MARTIAL FOR AINSWORTH

Adjutant General Relieved From Duty Pending Trial.

CRITICISED CHIEF OF STAFF

Secretary Stimson Accuses him of Habitual Readiness to Impugn Motives of Others—Serious Friction Has Long Existed.

Washington, Feb. 16.—Maj. Gen. Fred C. Ainsworth, adjutant of the army has been relieved from duty at the war department and will be ordered before a court-martial.

Serious friction long has existed between the adjutant general's office and the general staff and the crisis came when Secretary Stimson sided with Gen. Wood, chief of staff.

Attacked Secretary.

Matters were brought to an issue by a report made by Gen. Ainsworth to the secretary of war in connection with the matter of pay rolls and Secretary Stimson felt that the adjutant general had used language that impugned his own integrity and fairness, as well as that of other officers of the department.

It also is charged that Gen. Ainsworth insinuated improper motives on the part of the chief of staff in relieving certain recruiting officers.

Secretary Stimson in a note to Gen. Ainsworth said that rudeness and ill temper had become habitual on the part of the latter. He also declared the Ainsworth report to be the culmination of a series of outbreaks evidencing "such readiness to impugn the motives or the intelligence of those with whom it is your duty to work as, if uncorrected, to destroy your usefulness in your present office."

Referred to President.

Regarding the attack on himself, Secretary Stimson said that he referred the matter to the president, who directed Gen. Ainsworth's release pending disciplinary measures.

Gen. Leonard Wood, chief of staff has had many clashes with Gen. Ainsworth.

Col. H. P. McCain has succeeded Gen. Ainsworth.

Although a rupture between the general staff and the adjutant general's office has been regarded for some time as inevitable in view of the extremely bitter personal relations that have existed, particularly since the sensational reorganization scheme reported from the house committee on military affairs in connection with the pending army appropriation bill, the action of the secretary of war and the president proved a decided sensation.

First Time in History.

Never before in the history of the army has the adjutant general been court-martialed. In fact, it is rare to find an instance where any officer of corresponding rank has been brought before a court.

Because of his exalted rank it will be difficult to assemble a court for the trial of Gen. Ainsworth, who, next to Gen. Leonard Wood, is the senior officer of the army.

INTER-STATE ROAD CONVENTION

Old Trails Association Met at Boonville and Planned for National Organization.

Boonville, Mo., Feb. 16.—The executive committee and officers of the Old Trails Road association met here to report progress of road building from Boonville to Kansas City, following the Boone's Lick trail to Boonville, and thence along the Santa Fe trail. Every county through which the old trails ran was represented. It was decided to hold a convention of delegates from the various states at Kansas City April 17 to form a national organization to perfect a trans-continental highway. The delegates will be selected by the governors and by good road organizations.

HATLESS WOMEN HELP REVIVAL

Church at Fulton, Mo., Printed Display Advertisement That Brought Prompt Response.

Fulton, Mo., Feb. 16.—"Look, men; come to the Baptist church tonight. The women are wearing silk scarfs and shawls, not hats."

That announcement appeared in Fulton papers in advertisement of a revival. Many men responded by attending the service. The Rev. J. A. Taylor, pastor, said the rule would prevail during the revival and probably longer.

Third Truskett Trial.

Independence, Kan., Feb. 16.—The third trial of A. A. Truskett, the oil promoter of Caney, Kan., who shot J. D. S. Neeley, the wealthy oil promoter of Lima, O., is now set for March 11. At the first trial Truskett was found guilty. He obtained another trial at which the jury recently disagreed.

Chancy B. Little Announces.

Olathe, Kan., Feb. 16.—Chancy B. Little has announced his intention of running for the Democratic nomination for attorney general in Kansas. Mr. Little has been county attorney of Johnson county four years.

Elks' Vaudeville

Empire Theatre February 20

A New Departure in Home Talent

24 A Mixed Chorus of Twenty-four Voices in Popular Songs **24**

Novelty Dancing --- Instrumental Quartet--Catchy Songs--Cartoons

A Dramatic Sketch

The Music Lesson

15 Prof. Lawler's Orchestra of Fifteen Pieces **15**

Seat Sale Monday morning at 9 o'clock at Reuillard's

Prices 25c, 35c and 50c

Tickets not called for by 7 o'clock Tuesday will be returned to box office for re-sale.

Missouri Ladies' Military Band

ALMA M. NASH, Director

Empire Theatre, Friday, Feb. 16

300 Good Seats Left

Tickets 35 cents. All seats reserved at Reuillard's must be called for before 6 o'clock Friday

PUBLIC SALE

I will sell at my farm, 12 miles northeast of Maryville, 1 mile west and ½ mile south of Orrsburg, 5 miles east and 1½ miles south of Pickering, on

Wednesday, Feb. 21, 1912

At 10 o'clock a. m., the following property: MULES—23 head of young mules, 2 and 3 years old.

HORSES—1 coming 3-year-old horse, 1 coming 4-year-old horse, good ones, 4 young mares 4 and 5 years.

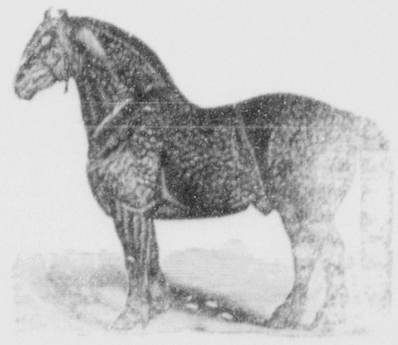
CATTLE—26 head of coming 2-year-old steers; 19 head steer and heifer calves.

TERMS—6 or 9 months time on bankable note at 8 per cent. Lunch on ground.

J. H. ALEXANDER

Chas. Evans, Auctioneer.

WANTED HORSES



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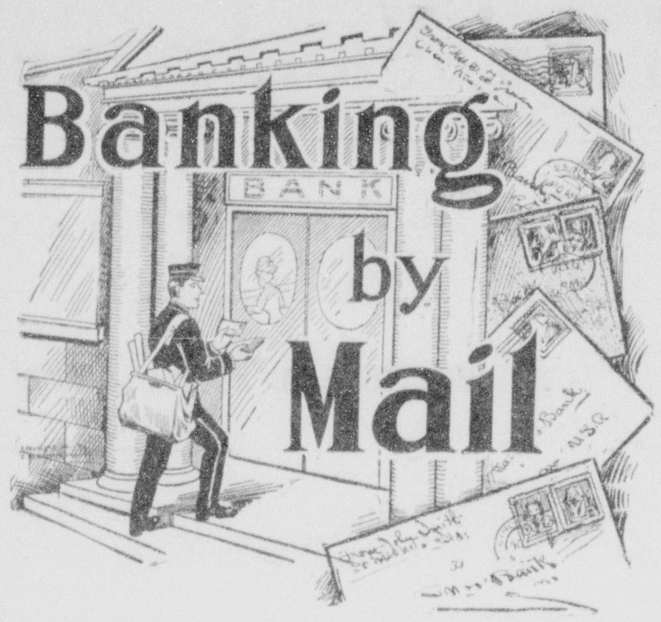
JIM ANDY FORD



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SURPLUS - - - - - $22,000.00

Closing Out Sale

Having sold my farms I will sell at public sale at my farm 2½ miles west and ½ mile north of Pickering; 1 mile west and 7 miles north of Maryville,

Wednesday, Feb. 21, 1912

at 10 o'clock a. m., the following:

19 HEAD OF HORSES—1 mare 12 years old, weight 1650 lbs., in foal; 1 mare 6 years old, weight 1400 lbs., in foal; 1 mare 8 years old, weight 1300 lbs., in foal; 1 mare 13 years old, weight 1300 lbs., in foal; 1 driving bred mare 2 years old, in foal; 1 driving bred mare 5 years old, weight 1000 lbs.; 1 gelding 7 years old, weight 1200 lbs.; 2 yearling mares; 1 smooth mouth mare, in foal; 1 5-year old mare, weight 1200 lbs.; 5 geldings 3 and 4 years, from 1000 to 1200 lbs.; 1 7-year old gelding, weight 1300 lbs.; 2 mule colts.

CATTLE—5 pure bred Shorthorn cows and heifers.

HOGS—150 head of hogs. 20 head of 2 year old bred sows; 30 head of bred gilts; 100 head of stock hogs Nearly all of these hogs are full blooded Duroc Jerseys.

FARMING IMPLEMENTS—3 wagons, 1 mower, 1 hay rake, 1 Superior wheat drill, 1 disc, 1 riding cultivator, 1 walking cultivator, 1 harrow, 1 16-inch walking plow, 1,000 burr oak fence posts, some hay, corn and oats, about 100 shocks of fodder.

TERMS—Bankable note 6, 9 or 12 months, 8 per cent interest. Lunch on grounds.

J. D. FRANK

Col. R. P. Hosmer, Auctioneer. S. H. Kemp, Clerk.

PUBLIC SALE

I will sell at public auction, one mile south of Burlington Junction, on

Tuesday, February 20,

Beginning at 10 o'clock, the following property: 6 HEAD OF HORSES—Extra good pair of black horses 4 and 5 years old, weight 3,100; bay mare 8 years old, weight 1,500; bay horse 3 years old, weight 1,200; bay horse 4 years old, weight 1,450; gray mare 11 years old, in foal, weight 1,250; trotting bred mare coming 3 years old. These horses are all in condition and fat enough for the market.

CATTLE AND HOGS—1 good milch cow, 5 shoats.

IMPLEMENTS AND HARNESS—Standard mower, Dain sweep rake, steel hay rake, 2 discs, John Deere corn planter, good as new; good cultivator, 3-section harrow, Staver surrey, low wagon, new manure spreader No. 3, hay rack, feed bunks, 2 sets good work harness, 2 heavy stock saddles, 1 set single harness; 150 good walnut posts. About 50 bushels early No. western seed oats. Will also sell about 50 bushels good white seed corn if not closed out by date of sale.

TERMS—All sums of $10 and under cash; over that amount from 3 to 9 months time with 8 per cent from date. Terms to be complied with before property is removed. Andrews-Flowers, lunch.

Col. R. P. Hosmer, Auctioneer.
R. N. Barber, Clerk.

M. C. Thompson

PUBLIC SALE

Friday, February 23, 1912

At 10 o'clock a. m., at M. C. Caywood's livery barn in Maitland, Mo.,

40--Head of Mules--40

Ranging in age from 3 to 5 years and mostly mare mules, about six span well broke to work. All of extra good quality. Besides the above there will be a number of GOOD HORSES AND MARES, one extra good jack coming 5 years old.

TERMS—Bankable note at 8 per cent interest from date, from 6 to 12 months' time.

W. D. Gibson and others, Auctioneers.
M. C. Brumbaugh, Clerk.

J. H. BAUBLITS
L. K. RUSSELL

ENGINE JUMPED DOWN ON TOWN

Rolled Down Mountain Side, Killing Four and Injuring Eight.

CRUSHED BUSINESS BUILDINGS

Ore Train Was on Steep Grade When Engineer Lost Control While at Fast Speed—Cars Wrecked on the Rocks.

Salt Lake City, Feb. 16.—Four persons were killed and eight injured at Bingham, Utah, a mining camp near here, when an engine hauling three cars loaded with ore was derailed on a steep grade of the Copper Belt railroad and rolled 250 feet down the mountain side, crashing through the roofs of two of the principal buildings of the town.

Wrecked a Bank.

The engine struck a business block the lower floor of which is occupied by the Citizens State bank. Dr. C. A. Conkling, a dentist having offices on the upper floor, was asleep in his apartments and was severely injured when the engine crashed through the roof. R. R. Sharkey, cashier of the bank, was sleeping in a room at the rear of the bank, but escaped with only minor injuries.

Engineer Fred Annis was killed by striking against a pile of rocks as he jumped from the engine. Felix Lombard, a railroad employe, and C. W. Lewis and Otto Edelmann, tailors, were the others killed.

Two Austrians asleep in a rooming house adjoining the bank building were scalded.

Engineer Lost Control.

According to the yardmaster at Bingham, Engineer Annis lost control of his engine while it was coming down a steep grade, following an ore train. The engine left the track at a sharp curve directly over the business section of the town.

S. W. Brown, foreman in charge of the train, and Dan Goodnough, fireman, escaped injury by jumping.

Felix Lombard, a boiler washer in the employ of the Denver & Rio Grande railroad, one of the men killed, had just finished work and was going home, riding on the engine.

Tender Falls Upon Bed.

The tender of the locomotive fell squarely on the bed in which the two tailors were sleeping. The bodies were crushed.

Engineer Annis was a new man on the road and was returning to town from his first trip to the mines when the accident occurred. The track was on a 7 per cent grade and the train was traveling at high speed when the engine left the rails.

The cars attached to the locomotive were broken loose and were thrown against the side of the mountain on the hill side of the track. Three stores were completely wrecked and the rear of the bank building was demolished.

AMERICANS STARTLED MEXICANS

Soldiers Entered Juarez by Mistake and Whole Town Was Quickly in Arms.

El Paso, Tex., Feb. 16.—American soldiers went into Jaurez by mistake. The soldiers were recruits and a company of them tried to go around from one international bridge to another on the Mexican side. They were stopped by Mexican guards and the whole town quickly was in arms. Cars were stopped and no Americans were allowed to cross the river, which was lined with armed Mexicans on guard duty. The troops had just arrived from Arizona under command of Lieut. M. W. Fields, who said he made a mistake. The town quieted in a few hours and the soldiers were released.

BUTTER WAS FLAVORED WITH OIL

Solomon Kan., Man Fined $25 and Now State Dairy Commissioner is After Others.

Manhattan, Kan., Feb. 16.—Clair Sundall of the Starrett Mercantile company, Solomon, Kan., pleaded guilty and paid $25 fine and costs in a justice court on the charge of handling milk, cream and butter in the same room with oils, eggs and strongly flavored vegetables.

The state dairy commissioner and deputies are gathering information with regard to the practice of handling butter and oils in close proximity in delivery wagons. Many grocerymen are not aware that the quality of butter is much affected by the flavor and odor of surrounding merchandise.

Farmers Clear Roads of Snow.

Hanover, Kan., Feb. 16.—Progressive farmers living west of Hanover got busy as soon as the heavy snow fell and constructed a snow "bucker" 14 feet wide to which they hitched four teams of horses and cleared the roads for five miles into Hanover.

Postal Banks Open to All.

Washington, Feb. 16.—Postmasters at postal savings depositories may accept deposits from anyone. The regulation restricting depositors to the patrons of a particular office was rescinded in an order issued by Postmaster General Hitchcock.

JOHN W. GARRETT

John W. Garrett of Baltimore is the new American minister to the Argentine Republic.

BANK ROBBERS GOT $25,000

ATTACK TAXICAB ON STREET IN NEW YORK.

Most of Money Was in $5 Bills—Messengers Beaten Unconscious —Highwaymen Escaped.

New York, Feb. 16.—Twenty-five thousand dollars in currency was stolen from a taxicab in the heart of the financial district by three men who sprang into the vehicle and overpowered W. F. Smith and Frank Wardell, messengers of the East River National bank. Both messengers were severely injured and the robbers escaped with the money—$15,000 in $5 bills and $10,000 in $100 bills.

The currency was being transported from the Produce Exchange bank in the lower part of the city. The taxicab was passing Trinity churchyard when three men sprang from the curb.

One jumped on the chauffeur's seat, and pressed a revolver in his overcoat pocket against the side of the chauffeur, Gino Martini, ordering him to drive swiftly on without making an outcry.

Inside the vehicle the two others were beating the bank messenger into unconsciousness. At Park Place the highwaymen jumped from the taxicab bearing a tin box, which they had wrested from the messengers and which contained the currency. In a flash they had sprung into a big black motor car that seemed to be waiting their coming and were quickly lost in the maze of traffic.

Martini, the taxicab chauffeur, continued to run his machine until he found a policeman. Here he gave the alarm and the two injured messegers were taken to a police station. Their condition was so bad that they were removed to a hospital.

TO HANG FIVE MEN IN ONE DAY

Four White Men and a Negro to Swing in Illinois—Breaks County Record.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 16.—The state board of pardons decided that the four murderers of Fred W. Guelzow must be hanged in the Cook county jail. The slayers are Ewald and Frank Shibilawski, Thomas Schultz and Phillip Sommerling. With them will hang Thomas Jennings, the negro burglar who shot and killed Clarence Hiller, a railroad official, in Hiller's Chicago home and whose petition for commutation was denied.

The hanging of five men in one day will be a record for Cook county.

To Preach Good Roads.

Columbia, Mo., Feb. 16.—The state board of agriculture is planning a series of meetings over the state this spring in the interest of good roads. At Eldon the first meeting will be held for all of the people of Miller county, February 20. A movement has been started in that county to vote bonds for improvement of roads.

Gave Life for Child.

Guthrie, Ok., Feb. 16.—In protecting her baby, Mrs. John McMahon, living near here, received fatal injuries when a spring wagon in which she was riding with five other persons fell over the side of a bridge, 20 feet down to the bottom of a gully. She fell on her child, but saved it from injury.

Say He Burned a Block.

Arapahoe, Ok., Feb. 16.—Joseph Berg, convicted of bootlegging and horse stealing, was put in jail at Arapahoe charged with burning a city block in Weatherford. About a year ago 30 or 40 men took Berg and his brother from the jail and whipped them until they promised to leave the city forever.

Kansas Normal 47 Years Old.

Emporia, Kan., Feb. 16.—The Kansas state normal school celebrated the 47th aniversary of its founding with all day exercises. The Founders' day program was largely planned by the students. A senior student, Victor Bottomly, gave the principal address, which was a resume of the history and work of the school.

You Are Worth $7.50.

If you weigh 150 pounds you are worth intrinsically, according to your constituent elements, about $7.50. So says a German scientist.

"This value is represented by the phosphorus, lime, iron, sulphur and albumen in a body," says the scientific man.

"The fat is worth about $2.50; of iron there is hardly enough to make even a small nail an inch long. There is sufficient lime to whitewash a pretty good sized chicken house. The phosphorus would be sufficient to put heads on 2,200 matches, and there is enough magnesia to make a pretty firework. The average human body contains enough albumen for one hundred eggs. There is possibly a small teaspoonful of sugar and a pinch of salt."

WE'LL STOP THAT ITCHING FOR 25 CENTS

Zemo and Zemo Soap Give Instant Relief.

Are you troubled with eczema? Does your skin itch, burn, smart or bleed? If so come into our store and get a special 25c treatment of the one sure, quick relief and positive cure you've been looking for.

Zemo is the guaranteed remedy that has relieved thousands of skin sufferers. A delightful, efficient and germ-destroying antiseptic wash that soothes and heals an inflamed and irritated skin just as readily as it cures eczema, pimples, rashes, psoriasis and other stubborn forms of skin diseases.

Zemo is worth its weight in gold to skin sufferers and we urge you to try this trial treatment. Charles Love's drug store.

When Children Smoked.

Children seem to have smoked with impunity when clay pipes were the only ones known. Thoresby records in his diary on January 20, 1702: "An evening with by brother at Garraway's coffee house. I was surprised to see his sickly child of 3 years old fill its pipe and smoke it as nonchalently as a man of three score; after that, a second and a third pipe without the least concern, as it is said to have done a year ago."

And Mission, who visited England in 1697, notes that "in Worchestershire the children are sent to school with pipes in the satchels, and the schoolmaster calls a halt in their studies while they all smoke."

INDIGESTION GOES

Sourness, Heaviness, Belching and Stomach Distress Quickly Fade Away.

Magical Mi-o-na is what you need for any disturbed condition of the stomach.

Mi-o-na stomach tablets will drive all the poisonous gases from your stomach strong enough to digest any food.

For any ailment caused by weak stomach such as sick headache, dizziness, nervousness, lack of efficiency, bad dreams or bad stomach the morning after too much smoking and drinking—for all the ailments nothing on earth can surpass Mi-o-na. Large box for 50 cents at the Orear-Henry Drug Co. and druggists everywhere.

Boston Ferns

No home is complete without a beautiful fern. Our ferns of either the smaller or larger sizes are strong, healthy plants, with extra strong developed roots, and they give satisfaction. We propagate and grow every fern we sell from our own selected stock plants.

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WANTS

Advertisements are inserted in this column at the rate of three lines (18 words) three days for 25 cents. For ads larger than three lines one cent extra will be charged for each word in excess of 18. Cash must accompany order for these small amounts.

FOR RENT—Six-room house, close in, at $12.50. See O. L. Holmes. tf

FOR SALE—Large fireproof safe, Cheap. Charles Hyslop. 10-tf

FOR SALE—Millet hay, horses, mules, cattle and hogs. Inquire Real Estate bank. 15-17

FOR RENT—5-room modern cottage, 308 East Seventh street. Barn, cave, summer kitchen, fruit, street paved. See John Hansen. 16-19

FOR SALE—Barred Plymouth Rock cockerels, one yearling Duroc male hog. See A. R. Robinson, R. D. 5. Phone, Farmers 122. 15-17

WANTED—Young man to share room. Inquire Democrat-Forum. 16-19

FOR RENT—7-room house, two blocks from square. Inquire Democrat-Forum. 20-tf

FOR RENT—A good house, beginning March 1st. South Main street, three blocks from First street. See or phone Wm. G. Sawyers. 15-17

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Absracts of title, loans and insurance. R. L. McDougal.

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